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BLOWING OF LOCOMOTIVE WHISTLE SOUNDS FAIRCHANCE FIRE ALARM.

Fire Which Had Been Extinguished Again Flames Up and Threatens Widespread Destruction.

GOT WATER FROM HOTEL TANK

Supplied by An Electric Motor to Subdue Blaze In a Frame Building Situated Directly Across Street From Fairchance Hotel.

Special to The Courier

FAIRCHANCE, Pa., April 24.—The blowing of a locomotive whistle by a hostler probably saved Fairchance from a very serious fire at an early hour this morning. The blaze was a stubborn one, and was the second discovered in the building destroyed within a few hours.

It was between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning when Porter George McFadyen of the Fairchance Hotel, making his rounds discovered fire leaping from the building just across the street, a frame structure owned by Paul Kovalchick, and occupied by his son Andrew as a store in which confectionery and cigars are sold. McFadyen at once gave the alarm arousing people in the hotel first. Soon the word passed from house to house, and a large force of people collected at the scene of the fire. The flames were pouring out of the top story of the frame building, probably having been started by the crossing of electric wires. The fire company, which has no water supply at its command, was soon on the scene with the chemical engines, and the effects of the firefighters soon began to tell. Only the top was burned out of the building. Everybody worked with a will, because Fairchance knows that if a fire gets a start there, there is no water supply to check it, and all the buildings and homes are frame with few exceptions. The blaze was extinguished after an hour's work, and everybody went home.

At 5 o'clock Harry N. Ward, a hostler on a Southwest engine standing on the siding, noticed the fire again blazing up in the half burned building. He immediately began blowing the whistle of the engine, and the citizens began pouring out once again. This time the fire was not so easily extinguished. The building is located between frame structures, and the chemical engines did not succeed in doing their work so well.

It began to look quite serious, as buckets of water were having little effect on the fire. Then Proprietor J. W. Gribble of the Albion Hotel thought of a scheme. He has an electric motor in his building, with connections with the creek. A line of hose was rigged up, connecting with this force motor, which supplies a tank on top of the hotel. With this single stream of water playing on the building, the fire was confined within the building store itself. A lack of wind also helped some. The Kovalchick building was completely destroyed. The loss is covered by insurance.

Fairchance has let the contract for water mains through the streets, and the laying of pipe is about to begin. The water will be supplied by the Trotter Water Company from the big main leading from the Youghiogheny river a mile above Connellsville.

HUNT DOGS IN AUTOMOBILES.

Pets Are Killed While Children Who Own Them Are at School.

Armed with Winchesters, Chief of Police Rottler and Officer M. McCudden yesterday afternoon went automobiling for dogs and picked a few off in the outlying districts.

Since the dog killing began citizens have been daily sending for the officers to kill off dogs which have been pets about the house but which are dangerous. Many of these dogs have been despatched while the children have been away at school, in order to avoid a rupture in the family circle.

The Weather.

Showers and thunderstorms tonight and Saturday, is the noon weather bulletin.

NEGLECTS WIFE; BUYS NEW CLOTHES.

John Vernon, wife of Rosa Vernon of Connellsville is in the local police station and will be taken to Uniontown this afternoon on a charge of desertion and non support preferred by his wife. At a hearing yesterday afternoon before Magistrate W. P. Clark the wife testified that the couple were married about a year and a half ago and that about six months ago her husband sent her to his parents to live. The Vernon family quit housekeeping and she was turned out.

Vernon, in his defense, said that he was a railroader and that he was not making enough money to keep her although he had rented a room and had purchased a new suit of clothes. Magistrate Clark gave him a severe lecture and unless he can raise bail he will have to spend some time in jail.

From that haven she went to the home of a sister but various conditions arising and a probable heavy expense in view made it necessary for the sister to fear that she would no longer be able to care for her and it was hoped that the husband would assist her. The wife appealed to him at his boarding house and he did no agree to do anything for her.

CAUGHT ON TRAIN.

William Collins Charged With Breaking and Entering a House at Youngwood Caught.

UNIONTOWN, April 24.—William Collins was taken from a Pennsylvania train at VA tower here this morning on information received from Constable Gummire of Greensburg who charges him with larceny of a large amount of goods from the home of L. C. Nicalo, a boarding boss at Youngwood. Nicalo allegos that Collins this morning entered his house and took $65 in money, a 32 calibre revolver, five rings valued at $100 and a gold watch.

Nicalo followed the man to Youngwood and with the assistance of another man overpowered him and secured the valuables. In the scuffle for the recovery of the goods Collins broke away and boarded the freight train. He was taken back to Greensburg this morning.

FIRE AT CORRY.

Three Persons Lose Their Lives There at Early Hour This Morning.

United Press Telegram.

CORRY, Pa., April 24.—Three persons lost their lives in a fire early this morning which destroyed the home of David Weatherby, at Centerville, Pa., near here. The dead are, David Weatherby, aged 70 years; Mrs. David Weatherby, aged 60 years, and Mrs. Albert Lemm, aged 60 years.

Albert Lemm, Mrs. Lemm's husband, was rescued in an unconscious condition by the neighbors, but it is expected that he will die of his injuries. The origin of the fire is unknown. The occupants of the house apparently had first suffocated and then burned to death. Lemm was found on the first floor, and the others on the second floor.

Depositors Organize.

Some 400 or more of the depositors of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Mt. Pleasant, which went into the hands of a receiver October 29, 1907, have gone together and engaged counsel in a united effort to secure some satisfactory information in regard to that institution's present condition and what and when they can reasonably expect in the way of returns on their balances.

MAN SAVES BABY FROM BURNING BUILDING IN SENSATIONAL FIRE AT MT. PLEASANT.

Special to The Courier

MT. PLEASANT, Pa., April 24.—A fire that had all the elements of sensational rescue work on the part of the fire department, the danger of spreading to adjacent and larger buildings in the very heart of the business section of the town and the excitement of large crowds threatened the town of Mt. Pleasant at 10 o'clock this morning.

At the hour stated flames were seen bursting from a two story frame building owned by L. S. Rhoades and rented on the first floor by A. N. Shenas who keeps a fruit and confectionery store. How the fire got such a sudden and widespread start before being discovered at that hour in the morning when there were many people on the streets is a mystery, but when first noticed the flames had gained rapid headway.

As soon as the cry of fire was heard in the street there was wild excitement. Mr. Shenas was in his little store on the first floor, but he quickly remembered that his baby was in the room up stairs. Without waiting a second he dashed up the stairs. He found the room full of fire and smoke. He never paused but rushed into the room where the child was took it up in his arms and rushing to the window to send it out into the arms of people who had collected below. His face and hands were badly burned by the flames, but the child escaped it is thought without inhaling the fire.

After tossing the child down from the second story Shenas climbed out on the window sill, took hold of an awning frame and slid down to the street. The flames had shut him off from descent by the inside stairway.

The alarm had been sounded and inside of three minutes the fire department began to arrive. Companies came in from each of the four wards. Those from the Second and Fourth wards connected up two lines of hose and soon had water playing on the building. The pressure was very strong, and the firemen, under their newly elected Chief August Grosser, won the admiration of all the citizens in their conduct in handling what threatened to be a serious conflagration. The Rhoades building is located between the Rhoades residence, a frame building on one side and on the other by the Smith department stores, in a great frame building only two stories high but covering a large area. The hook and ladder company was also on hand. Instead of too many firemen going to work two companies stood by like veterans ready to employ their services wherever needed.

Although the flames had gathered strength before the arrival of the department, arrived the firemen soon had the flames under such control that it was seen it could be confined within the Rhoades building. This was destroyed, but the destruction ended there. The stand pipe of the Mt. Pleasant Water Company was kept full by the big pumps at the resevoir and the pressure did not vary. It is understood that the Water Company is contemplating making some changes in the fire lines in the town which will make the pressure for fire even better. Ends of mains will be connected up so that the flow will be steady and increased.

MUNSON FOR CAPTAIN.

Elected to Command Company D in the Armory Last Night.

SERVED SIX YEARS AS CAPTAIN

In Times Gone by and Resigned When the Local Detail Were Mustered Into National Service for the Philippine Campaign.

Captain George A. Munson was elected Captain of Company D last night on the first ballot and in an enthusiastic manner. Every member of the company was for him as their superior officer, although Captain Munson was not an anti candidate.

The election was conducted by Surgeon Major Dr. L. P. McCormick and it required but a few minutes for the soldiers to choose their captain. Captain Munson has not signified his acceptance of the place but the members of Company D believe that he will accept as he is the most available and able man that can be secured for the position. It is also believed that public sentiment in having him at the head of the company and in charge of the new armory will cause him to accept the responsible position.

Captain Munson formed the original Company D in 1892, and was for six years captain of the company, serving with it in the Homestead riots. He is thoroughly familiar with military tactics and is a disciplinarian of a good type. Captain Munson succeeds Captain J. H. Simpson resigned, on account of his removal to Pittsburg.

A vacancy for first lieutenant still remains in the company caused by the resignation of Ralph M. Hunt, but no election was ordered for this office. It is probable that Roy Keffer, second lieutenant, will be elected to that position and a general promotion of all the officers take place.

SCALPED WIFE

Then Lewis Fleckenstein Kissed His Children Goodbye and Hanged Himself.

United Press Telegram

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., April 24.—While his wife and two little daughters lay sleeping in their bed Lewis Fleckenstein a wealthy German resident of this city entered the bedroom early today and with a hatchet almost scalped his wife and then went down stairs and hanged himself. The woman was rushed to the hospital where it is said that her chance for recovery is slight. The husband was dead when cut down by the police.

The children were awakened by their father striking their mother over the head and pleaded with him to save their mother's life. Fleckenstein threw them aside struck his wife another blow and then took the children in his arms and kissed them good bye. He then hanged himself.

New York Suspensions

NEW YORK, N. Y., April 24.—(Special.)—Notices of the suspension of the firm of T. A. McIntyre & Company were posted at the New York Produce Exchange this morning. Suspension is also reported at the Stock and Cotton Exchange.

Second Arbor Day

Today is second Arbor Day in the schools and trees are being planted at many of the schools in the county.

SEVERE TESTS

For Candidates for Fire Boss at the Examinations Held Here Today.

Thirty four are taking the examinations for fire boss in the First National Bank building under the supervision of the examiners. D. Williams mine inspector James J. Stoker of Dunbar and John Boylan of Leisenring. This is the last day of the examinations, which have been going on for the past three days. The previous days were devoted to the examination of men for first and second class mine foreman certificates. The fire boss examination however is the most severe of all the tests and this year it is much more so than previously. Those who are taking the examination today are:

Albert Sanders, John Bales, Thomas McKean, John J. Durkin, John Cassidy, James Goodman, Daniel Miller, David Davis, James Richard, Moore Jr., M. Truxall, Robert Decker, Martin Thompson, M. J. Fletcher, James F. Stone, D. R. DeFriest, Daniel Purcell, John Miller, James Duffy, John O'Brien, Thomas Keenan, Thomas O'Rourke, Ernest Krouse, Harry Ganler, Harry Rittenburger, Martin Hurt, James Yocum, Mike Coburn, Kelly Means, William Cameron, George Foley, William Hanan, Thomas Davis, Robert Pinkney and Ira Wilson.

LEVINSON IS ROBBED.

Thieves Entered Through a Transom in the Rear of the Store.

GOODS HAULED AWAY IN WAGON.

Money Drawer Was Also Tapped But Only a Small Amount of Change Was Obtained—Constable Crossland Working on the Case.

A wholesale robbery took place at the store of M. Levinson 216 North Pittsburg street last night and the proprietor estimates that upwards of $700 worth of goods were carried off. Entrance to the store was effected through a transom over a door in the rear of the store fronting upon an alley. The glass was carefully taken out of the transom and then a part of the sash broken away. This left a space of about ten inches through which to gain entrance to the store. A stepladder was found in the alley this morning and a stepladder inside the store room was placed against the door. It is evident that more than one person took part in the robbery.

After gaining entrance to the store the burglars took clothing by the wholesale several tables showing whence the goods had been carried away. The robbers also broke into the money drawer and took $3.20 in silver change and 80 cents in pennies. They then went to the jewelry case which contained a large number of watches and small jewelry and carried nearly the entire lot away. Women's dresses, children's suits, men's suits and anything that looked worth while was hastily gathered up.

Mr. Levinson locked up the store about 9 o'clock last night, and this morning when he opened it, he went to the cash drawer to put some change in it and then he discovered that robbers had been at work. Going to the rear of the store he found goods scattered all over the floor. He immediately summoned Constable Crossland who took charge of the investigation.

BOYS ON SOUTH SIDE

Get Severe Lecture from Justice of Peace Miller.

HE HINTS AT PENITENTIARY

As a Possible Lodging Place for Youths Who Raise a Disturbance at the Home of Frank Mantello One of Them a Cripple.

Squire Frank Miller vented his wrath upon two South Connellsville boys last night when they were brought before him charged by Mattie Malissa with disorderly conduct and delivered a severe and scorching denunciation of their acts of vandalism in the South Side district. George Hensel a cripple and Durlick Kenner, were the two boys arrested on complaint of the young woman but it was evident that a large gang was mixed up in the fracas.

It was alleged and proven that the boys called at the home of Frank Mantello where the girl stays with her sister. Mantello answered the call and wanted to know what they wanted with Mattie. They immediately used a vile method of expression, and Mantello, becoming angry drove them away.

The testimony developed the fact that South Connellsville and South Side boys are congregating in gangs and pursuing some very ugly acts of vandalism. The testimony at the trial was that there was a large gang at the time of the alleged disorderly acts but the prosecutrix or the witnesses could not identify any more of the defendants. Mantello stated that the boys gathered about his house and made life unpleasant.

Squire Miller stated that to his own knowledge there was evidence enough against some of the South Side boys which would send them to the penitentiary and that it was a shame that some of them had not been there. He said that to his own knowledge he had known this same crowd to tear up small shade trees and do all sorts of vandalism. As Hensel is a cripple he said that he would give the boys an opportunity to straighten out matters with the prosecutor, and after a consultation it was decided to settle the case upon payment of costs.

MINERS' OFFICIALS

Arrested at Butler for Participation in Strike Troubles in That District.

BUTLER, Pa., April 24.—Because it is alleged they participated in a demonstration at the Hilliard mines yesterday, seven prominent officials of the miners union were placed under arrest here last night at a late hour.

They gave bail in the sum of $500 each for a hearing at court. The prosecutor is Harry Hamilton a Standard mine operator. Those under arrest are James Driscoll McKeesport District Organizer, Edward McKay, David Noble and David Williams, organizers from Stoneboro, Pa., and James McLain, Fred Punkhauser and John Buzzard of Grove City, Pa.

Fell Down Steps.

FAIRCHANCE, April 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Walters aged 80 years, mother of James A. Walters a prominent business man of this place fell down fourteen steps yesterday and injured herself so badly that her death is expected.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WANTS CHEAPER INSURANCE.

Body Declares That Mass of Poles and Wires in Town Are a Menace During Storm and Fire.

SAVES THE GIRL; SMASHES BUGGY.

MT. PLEASANT, Pa., April 24.—(Special.)—Clay O. Christner a well known young man of Pleasant Hill near this town hired a horse and buggy from Liveryman J. J. Hout to take himself and girl friend to a spelling bee which was held at the country school house. On the return home Christner claims the horse took fright for some unknown reason and in the mixup that followed the buggy and harness were badly damaged. The girl was well taken care of.

Liveryman Hout then demanded pay for the damage done the rig claiming the horse was well trained and that no trouble of that nature had been experienced with him before. When Christner refused to pay for the damage Hout had him arrested for violating the livery act. The hearing was held last evening at the office of J. S. Rhoades Justice of the Peace.

Ex Congressman F. E. Robbins of Greensburg defended Christner while N. A. Coil of this place argued the case for Hout. After all of the evidence had been submitted and both sides of the case heard Justice of the Peace Rhoades held Christner under $300 bail for his appearance in court, which was furnished.

MRS. REBECCA DAVIS

Died at Her Home on North Pittsburg Street Early this Morning. Well Known Here.

Mrs. Rebecca Davis, aged 65 years, and 4 days, widow of the late Solomon Davis, died last evening at 7.30 o'clock at the family residence on North Pittsburg street. Mrs. Davis had been in feeble health for the past few years but was able to be about up until about a week ago. Complication of diseases was the cause of her death. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from her late residence. Rev. A. J. Ashe pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church will officiate. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Davis was the daughter of the late George and Katherine Dull, widely known residents of Springfield township. She was born and reared on a farm near Mill Run, April 30, 1843. At the age of 18 years she was married to Solomon Davis a prominent man of Springfield. They resided at Springfield on a farm up until fifteen years ago when they moved to Connellsville. Mr. Davis was County Commissioner at the time of his death which occurred about twelve years ago. Deceased was the mother of eight children five of whom are living. She was a devout member of the Methodist Episcopal church and also a member of the Ladies Aid Society, always taking a great interest in the work of the church and various societies. She was one of the most widely known residents of Connellsville and was held in high esteem by her many friends.

The following children survive: Mrs. G. H. Flynn wife of Rev. Flynn of Pittsburg, R. C. J. B. H. C., and C. W. Davis, all of Connellsville. Two brothers and one sister William Dull of Confluence, John Dull of Mill Run, and Mrs. Alex Blocks of Kingview, Pa., also survive.

TWO DIVORCES ENTERED.

List of Those Who Seek Separation Piling Up at Uniontown.

UNIONTOWN, April 24.—Two additional libels in divorce were entered at Uniontown today and the list is now a long one. Wilhelmina Fisher seeks a legal separation from her husband John Fisher, on the grounds of cruelty. The couple was married in Hungary in 1892 and came to Fayette county about four years ago.

On the same grounds Margaret Sauer asks a divorce from her husband Robert Sauer. The couple was married May 24 1899, and resided at Freed and White this county.

DR. S. D. WOODS READS PAPER.

Plan is Submitted for the Organization of the Greater Connellsville Park Association for Improving Hogg Donation.

The Chamber of Commerce held a session last night and many questions came up for discussion. There was a good attendance of the members. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted all the meeting, all of them self explanatory and calculated to afford some needed relief if adopted by those to whom they are addressed.

That this Chamber is of opinion that the number and extent of telephone, telegraph and other poles with the mass of wires which they support in the business districts of Connellsville and New Haven form a constant danger from storm or fire and are a considerable impediment to traffic and for these reasons the Secretary is instructed to convey to the Borough Councils of Connellsville and New Haven the request of this Chamber that ordinances be passed compelling their removal.

That the Secretary be instructed to communicate to the West Penn Railways Company the request of this Chamber that the five cent fare to and from Connellsville be extended to include Penneville.

That this Chamber go on record as demanding that the penalty of 20 cents per hundred of fire insurance imposed by the Middle Department because of alleged deficiency in the fire fighting equipment of Connellsville be removed, for the reason that same is unjust since said deficiency does not exist.

Report were received from a number of important committees. The Water Committee reported progress. The Park Committee's report was approved and a committee appointed to carry out a plan submitted for organizing the Greater Connellsville Park Association. Owing to the absence from the city of J. B. Hogg, the legal steps were deferred until his return. The committee will make an important announcement in the course of the next two or three days. The personnel of the committee remains unchanged except for the addition of Rev. J. J. Huston.

The special committees on Pollution of Waterways and State Roads reported Progress. The following Standing Committee was appointed, to be known as the "Convention Committee": H. P. Snyder, John Davis, T. D. Midigan, R. D. North and P. Bufano.

Extracts from a mass of correspondence from other committees were read by Secretary Armstrong, both on the subject of water rates and with regard to the compulsory use of conduit systems by companies whose business requires the stringing of wires.

While the committee had nothing to report on the water question, its discussion was persistently urged. Everybody was invited to let off steam. Dr. S. D. Woods had evidently come prepared. He arose and produced a bundle of manuscript the size of a bale of matting. He said it was high time somebody was saying something and he was going to speak right out. He was no coward. Once he wasn't afraid to speak out on the Prohibition question, though he had been advised by his friends to keep quiet. But he spoke out, and what was the result? He was boycotted, 'and' he said, 'in three months I pulled but one tooth and I pulled that for nothing.' The doctor's paper was more interesting than valuable, being stronger in language than in facts, but he commanded the attention of the Chamber and received its undivided applause on the tooth proposition at least.

Duke de Chaulis Reported Dead.

NEW YORK, N. Y., April 24.—(Special.)—Private dispatches received here by Wall street brokers announce the death at Paris of the Duke de Chaulis, who recently married the daughter of Theodore Shonts. A similar story was received at the Shonts home.

Congressman Allen F. Cooper Talks About Federal Building.

Congressman A. F. Cooper arrived here this morning on his way home from Washington. He is on a flying visit and expects to return immediately.

He said that the Public Buildings bill was not completed in committee until 8 o'clock last night and would not be reported to the House until today, but that the Connellsville post office appropriation remained intact. He anticipates no trouble about it.

The report 'that the committee would discipline Representative Acheson was wholly without foundation. The only bill affecting his district was that giving $40,000 additional to Charleroi for her postoffice. There had already been $50,000 appropriated. This will make $90,000, same amount that goes to Connellsville.

'The Yough river improvement was taken up again this week by Representatives Acheson, Dalzell and myself and we hope to have some satisfactory action upon it before the session closes. In any event the matter will not be allowed to die out.'

"Coke Oven Dick" Gives Officer Shaw a Very Lively Time of It.

William Brooks alias Coke Oven Dick is again in the local bastile for trespassing on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and will be given a hearing on several additional charges before a magistrate today with a view to sending him to jail.

Brooks boarded a B. & O. train in Pittsburg yesterday and would not submit to arrest by the officers there. Officer Shaw of the local force was notified to watch for him when he arrived in Connellsville and he was promptly arrested, although not without some difficulty. He threatened to do considerable bodily harm to the officer before he was overpowered.

Coke Oven Dick has an unsavory reputation among the police here and he no sooner lands in town until they are on his trail. He has been accused of many crimes and has spent a good portion of his life behind the bars. Chief Rottler said this morning that he has seen the inside of more jails than any other man he knows.

THE NEW PARSONAGE

Of the First Baptist Church Dedicated Last Evening In Fitting Manner.

CHURCH OFFICERS PRESENT

And Accompanied by Their Wives the Evening is Delightfully Spent. Addresses Are Made and Contractor Presents Keys to President of the Board.

The handsome new manse of the First Baptist church was dedicated last evening with appropriate exercises The dedicatory services lasted from 7 30 until after 8 o clock and were witnessed only by the officers and their wives and members of the choir The services were very impressive The opening number was a selection, 'One Sweetly Solemn Thought,' was sung by the choir Rev E C Kunkle of the Scottdale Baptist church gave a very interesting address, after which James C Munson contractor for the erection of the building presented the key to F. C Rose, President of the Board of Trustees

Then Mr Rose in a few fitting and well chosen remarks turned over the key to Rev E A E Palmquist, who read a very interesting paper regarding the new manse Short addresses were then made by the trustees, after which the choir rendered Home Sweet Home the closing number of the dedicatory services

At 8 30 a large reception was held and from that time up until about 10 30 o clock members of the congregation and their friends inspected the new building Rev Palmquist and wife assisted by the officers of the church, composed the receiving line The manse is located on one of the most desirable sites in the Hogg addition, and is an eight room modern brick building The interior of the building is elegantly furnished and was greatly admired by all present last evening Punch was served during the evening, and not for some time have so many of the congregation assembled together

Since taking charge of the pastorate here Rev Palmquist has built up the congregation wonderfully and the membership still continues to increase

FIREMEN'S DANCE

In New Haven Auditorium Last Night Was a Pleasant Affair

A large and enjoyable dance was held last evening in the New Haven auditorium under the auspices of Youghiogheny Lodge No 302, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen The committee was composed of E M Gross, chairman, S M May, C R Shupe E A Dunn Walker Huey and Albert Lingo

Dancing commenced at 8 30 o clock and was indulged in until an early hour this morning Music was furnished by Kiferle's orchestra The affair was given for the benefit of the family of a deceased member, and quite a neat little sum was realized Much credit is due the committee in charge for the grand success of the dance Refreshments were served at midnight

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

For Mrs. E. R Himelright Given Last Evening

Mrs E R Himelright was tendered a most enjoyable surprise miscellaneous shower last evening at her home on the South Side The surprise gathering was arranged by Mrs O S Getty and Mrs Herman Zepp and was cleverly carried out in every detail Potted plants and large bouquets of cut flowers formed the artistic decorations

The evening was spent in music and games until a late hour when a dainty repast was served Mrs Himelright was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents including china, cut glass, linens, etc

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Regular $1 00 readings 50 cents, for a few days Located at 320 N Pittsburg street.

Ladies Aid Society

The Ladies Aid Society of the United Brethren church held a successful chicken and biscuit supper last night in the church basement The ladies commenced to serve supper at 5 30 o clock and were kept busy looking after the large crowds until 10 o clock The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Society

Union Veteran Legion.

The regular monthly meeting of the Union Veteran Legion will be held this evening in Rutsek hall Important business will be transacted and all members are urged to be present

Light—but nutritious
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COCHRAN HALL

At Allegheny College Gift of Mrs Sarah B Cochran, Dedicated Yesterday.

MEADVILLE Pa April 24—Cochran Hall the beautiful commons building just completed by Allegheny College for male students was dedicated yesterday

The oration was delivered by United States Senator Jonathan P Dolliver of Iowa and the building was declared open for use by President William H Crawford of the college

The building by far the finest of college groups was the gift of Sarah P. Cochran of Dawson, and cost $65 000 It is 120x80 feet, two stories high and has a 12 foot basement It is built of red brick with terra cotta trimmings and contains 30 rooms for students The interior is handsomely decorated

The conclave adjourned at 10 30 o'clock The class is the largest to receive degree work in the State this year.

EXAMINATIONS

For High School in Dunbar Township Scheduled for Tomorrow.

The annual examinations will be given tomorrow at the Dunbar township High School building at Leisenring No 1 to all students desiring to enter the High School next year, and to all those desiring to receive a common school diploma. These diplomas are issued by County Superintendent C G Lewellyn and signed by the President and Secretary of the Board.

Any student may take the examination desiring to enter the High School, but none under 16 years of age will be given the examination for a common school diploma Both examinations will be composed of the same list of questions and will be given by a committee appointed by County Superintendent Lewellyn

The committee is composed of Biddle Hornbeck Chairman R K Smith Supervising Principal of the township schools, and Ferdinand Kelly Principal of the township High Schools All students desiring to take the examinations are requested to be at the High School building promptly at 8 30 School building at 8 30

HOT ON TRAIL.

Man Who Flees Boarding House Debt Lands in Connellsville Lockup

Leaving nothing more substantial than a promise behind him, William Rager hiked away from Sigle Bigams home at Bigam, where he had been getting his meals and shelter and today landed in the Connellsville police station with a charge of absconding from a board bill chalked up against him and the prosecutor hot upon the trail

Rager owed the Bigams $7 75 when he left their place He promised to come back the next day and liquidate the debt but he apparently forgot his promise He will be given a hearing before Magistrate W P Clark today

Leap Year Dance

Invitations were issued this morning for a Leap Year dance to be held Thursday evening May 7 in Armory Hall by the Il Trovatore Club Music will be furnished by Kiferle's orchestra A large number of invitations are out and the event promises to be a large and brilliant one

G A R Ladies Circle

The Ladies Circle to the G A R met yesterday afternoon in the Odd Fellows hall and transacted the regular routine business The attendance was large and the meeting was an interesting one

Bridge Completed

The four track bridge of the Baltimore & Ohio has been completed at Versailles and will be placed in operation tomorrow

DONNELLY A ROOTER.

West Penn Claim Agent Fills Fat Seat in Pittsburg Grandstand

A prominent figure in the grandstand at Pittsburg yesterday and an enthusiastic one, was I Benjamin Donnelly Claim Agent for the West Penn Railways Company Connellsville was well represented by the genial Donnelly who left everyone know that he was rooting for Pittsburg and especially for Honus Wagner in the Pittsburg St Louis game

Honus is not of Donnelly's descent but the latter recognizes a good German ball player He is telling his friends how he helped to win the great game yesterday and considers it the duty of all Connellsville sports to give the smoky town a boost with their voice and money every time they go to Pittsburg

Get Another Dividend

Another dividend amounting to 1½ per cent has been announced in favor of the depositors of the defunct Farmers & Drovers National Bank of Waynesburg This will bring the dividends to the depositors up to 40 per cent

What Are Your Banking Needs?

Wide experience thorough organization and ample resources enable the Citizens National Bank Connellsville Pa to render satisfactory service to all depositors and in all branches of commercial banking

Local and Personal Mention.

Do not fail to attend Mace & Co's sample shoe sale Saturday and Monday April 25 and 27

Mrs Robert Plumely of Johnston avenue returned home yesterday from Butler Pa where she was called by the death of her niece Mrs Margaret Ford Wilson

Miss Wilma Wilson of Somerfield was the guest of friends here yesterday

J P Hoenshell was at Banning yesterday on business

Dr S D Woods & Son Dentists First National Bank building Tri State phone 156 Crown and bridge work a specialty

S W Metzler of the Wright Metzler Company Uniontown was here yesterday

W B Milligan of Greensburg spent yesterday here on business

Curtains washed and dried 118 East Fayette street Bell phone 160

Mr and Mrs J B Park was here yesterday from Ohiopyle visiting friends

J A McAuliffe of Uniontown was in town on business yesterday

Remarkable saving in shoes at our sample shoe sale Saturday and Monday Mace & Co

Harry Moone was town from Uniontown yesterday

J W Ward the photographer is in Dawson today on business

Mothers a chance to save money on your children's shoes Saturday and Monday Mace & Co

Ed I Porter was here from Uniontown yesterday on business

Mrs Ira Ball of Murphy avenue went to Waltersburg yesterday afternoon to visit relatives for a few days

Don t cough your head off when you can get a guaranteed remedy in Bees Laxative Cough Syrup It is especially recommended for children as it's pleasant to take is a gentle laxative thus expelling the phlegm from the system For coughs colds croup whooping cough hoarseness and all bronchial trouble Guaranteed Sold by Graham & Co

Mrs Charles Johnston of New Castle is the guest of her parents Captain and Mrs Lloyd Johnston

Mrs J D Cunningham of Confluence is visiting friends here

Tan shoes black shoes tan oxfords black oxfords on sale Saturday and Monday Mace & Co

Misses Lila and June Byers of Dunbar were in town yesterday on a little shopping trip

Mrs Jacob Henrich of Broad Ford spent yesterday with friends here

ManZan Pile Remedy price 50c is guaranteed Put up ready to use One application prompt relief to any form of piles Soothes and heals Sold by Graham & Co

Willis Dom of Greensburg was a business caller here yesterday

Miss Julia Augustine of Somerfield was a Connellsville visitor yesterday

Eugene Carter was over from Scottdale yesterday on business

Shoes and oxfords at prices never before known Mace & Co

Mrs Bruce of Uniontown and baby returned home yesterday afternoon after a several days visit with Mr and Mrs W H Robinson of Locust Heights Dunbar township

30 Days Trial $1 00 is the offer on Pineules Relieve Back ache Weak Back Lame Back Rheumatic pains Best on sale for Kidneys Bladder and Blood Good for young and old Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded Sold by Graham & Co

Mrs O B Purinton has returned home from Uniontown where she was called by the illness of her daughter in law Mrs D B Purinton Mrs Purinton's condition is greatly improved

Sample shoe sale Saturday and Monday Mace & Co

Miss Rebecca McCullough of Scottdale was shopping in town yesterday

Miss Genevieve Fagan of New Haven went to Johnstown this morning to visit her sister for several days

Here come the Spring Winds to chap tan and freckle Use Pinesalve Carbolized (Acts like a poultice) for cuts sores burns chapped skin Sold by Graham & Co

B J Boyd of Scottdale was a business caller here this morning

Miss Ida Hain of Pittsburg is visiting her sister Mrs Emma Buckingham of West Apple street

A shoe sale that must appeal to you as a money saver Saturday and Monday Mace & Co

Miss Lillian Wright of Buckhannon W Va who is visiting her sister Mrs Robert Felty was the guest of friends in Uniontown yesterday

Mr and Mrs James Maxon and Miss R O'Bryon are visiting in Pittsburg today

ManZan Pile Remedy comes ready to use in a collapsible tube with nozzle One application soothes and heals reduces inflammation and relieves sore ness and itching Price 50 Sold by Graham & Co

Mrs George Wilson and Mrs Frank King of Allegheny Mrs John Horne of Pittsburg Mrs Harry Kaufman and Mrs Frank Knox of Carnegie and Mrs John Brown of McDonald were the guests of Mrs I J Horne Wednesday

Robert Polly was in Uniontown yesterday on business

For up to date upholstering and awning work call L C Pierce New Haven Both phones

NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters From the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Rev Father Kruponski of Mammoth formerly pastor of the Polish Church was calling on his many friends here yesterday

Finley Haggerty of Wilkinsburg was visiting friends in town yesterday

Robert Dunn was calling on friends in Greensburg yesterday

Miss Fannie Smith of Main street was the guest of Mrs Pettis of Scottdale yesterday

Mr and Mrs J Stoner and family of Sistersville W Va are visiting Mr Stoner's brother Cyrus Stoner of Sixth street

Oscar Witt of Pittsburg and H G Witt of Allison Pa were called here by the death of their father Henry Witt

The annual commencement exercises of the public schools will be held this evening in the New Haven auditorium The class is composed of 7 young ladies all of whom will participate in the program

Miss Grace Robinson is home from the California State Normal to spend a few days vacation with her parents Mr and Mrs W H Robinson Locust Heights Dunbar township

Mrs Charles Smith of Arkadia was shopping in town yesterday

Mrs James Corrigan of Dunbar was in town yesterday shopping

R O Morgan was here from Pittsburg yesterday on business

J C Sherrard of Vanderbilt was calling on friends here yesterday for a short time

Mrs John Garrison and little daughter of Pittsburg returned home yesterday after a visit with friends here

WAR DECLARED

Who Will Enlist in This Popular Movement?

War has been declared by our leading druggists

They are going to fight stomach troubles with Mi-o-na tablets They feel so sure of success that they guarantee to refund the price of any 50 cent box that does not give satisfaction and do all that is claimed for it

Mi-o-na is an absolute strengthener and cure for the stomach and digestive organs

If you suffer with headache dizziness, palpitation bad taste in the mouth nervousness coated tongue distress after eating try Mi-o-na

It will not be long before all these symptoms have disappeared and you are strong and well

A A Clarke sells Mi-o-na under an absolute guarantee to refund the money unless it cures

Connellsville — Uniontown — Greensburg

"Good Individual Tailoring at the Price of Non-Individual Readymade."

STRETCH YOUR DOLLARS

Remember that every dollar you save is a dollar earned. One dollar spent here will do the work of two elsewhere. If we have never made clothes for you, now is a good time to begin If, because you have been paying some other tailor $30 upward, you are not convinced that we can please you as well at $15 upward, you owe it to yourself to find it out.

Nearly 100 satisfied customers within two weeks are proud that they've more good clothes to wear per year, and that their bank balances show more to the good through their clothes savings here. And we guarantee. That means we do our work so well that fault finding is difficult—and that we make good when we go wrong. The skeptical man is safe in making a trial. Fully half a thousand styles to select from.

Suits, Topcoats, Rain Coats $15, $18, $20, $22, $25 Made to Order, Made to Fit.

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"Tailors to the Men of America."

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Strengthen Your Lungs

A cough or a hanging-on cold weakens your lungs, and the strain put upon them often bears serious results later on. If you are suffering from a cough, congested cold or pain in the chest, relieve the strain on your lungs to-day—get a bottle of

DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT

This old and well-known remedy relieves Coughs, Colds and Congestions, and tones and strengthens the lungs. Jayne's Expectorant has been the recognized remedy for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and similar diseases for 77 years. Sold by all druggists in three size bottles, $1 00, 50c., 25c.

Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is a gentle and effective tonic. Particularly good for children—a safe Worm Cure.

UNUSUAL PRICES! UNUSUAL BARGAINS!

VALUES WERE NEVER GREATER.

Union Supply Company stores, every department, is loaded up for Spring and Summer business Unusual prices, unusual bargains on every line which we show We can say positively that the styles were never better and the assortments never greater.

Boys' New Spring and Summer Clothing Some Bargains.

All the boys want a new Spring and Summer Outfit a new Easter Outfit and every one of our stores is prepared to show something out of the ordinary Newest things in the way of styles at prices that we defy anybody to duplicate We have double breasted suits of fancy cheviots in light or dark patterns, sizes six to sixteen, at $2 50 For the bigger boys the long pants fellows, he have a great line of new styles at prices from $5 00 upwards

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Located in Westmoreland, Fayette and Allegheny Counties.

A Nation of Cripples Rheumatism Beyond Control

The Only Hope to Rheumatic Sufferers Is Uric-O Treatment

If rheumatism continues to spread as it has in the past few years it would seem as though we would before long become a nation of cripples The terrible destructiveness of this disease is apparent on every side of us Almost nine out of ten of the cripples one meets had their affliction brought on by Rheumatism How many thousands more there are that are hopelessly bed ridden and whom we never see Rheumatism from the very nature of the disease, can never cure itself and if neglected is bound to grow worse rather than better If you ever have any twinges of Rheumatism go to your druggist and get a bottle of Uric O the wonderful new Rheumatic Specific It will cure you and it is the only treatment in the world that will cure you permanently and thoroughly Uric O cures by its direct action on the muscles blood and kidneys. It seeks out the poisonous Uric and Rheumatic Acid and drives it from the system and it is only a treatment of such a nature that will ever cure Rheumatism Liniments and plasters only serve to drive it from one spot to another They never cure Rheumatism, because it is primarily a blood disease and until the blood is cleared from the poison, a cure cannot take place

There never was a case of Rheumatism that Uric O could not cure and you should not put off taking it You can test Uric-O free of charge if you wish Just cut out this advertisement and send it to the Smith Drug Co 184 Smith Bldg Syracuse, N Y, together with your name and the name of your druggist, and state that you have never used Uric O and would like to try it They will give you free, through your druggist, a 75 cent bottle, which you can test and try to your own satisfaction

Uric O is sold and personally recommended in Connellsville by GRAHAM & CO.

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The Blickensderfer

HAVE YOU SEEN THE NEW FASHIONS IN Spring Clothes FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN?

Our showing of the new model "Hamburger Clothing" is sure to interest you and every man who desires to be really well dressed—at moderate cost

Every garment conforms to the very latest word in styles differing, however, from other clothing in that it is distinctive and expresses the true custom-made touch. In our Fashionable Spring Suits at $10.00 to $25.00 you will find such a variety of models and exclusive fabric effects that selection can be made to suit your individual taste. All the new patterns—soft plaids, stripes and checks in cassimeres, tweeds, cheviots and worsteds Coats single or double-breasted with two or three buttons to close.

Come and see the new styles while the assortment is complete.

Wertheimer Bros.

Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WILL ISSUE BONDS

In New Haven if $12,000 Does Not Exceed the Limit of Indebtedness.

TOWN DEBT DRAWS 6 PER CENT.

Owing to the Absence of Borough Solicitor Higbee the Meeting of Council Scheduled for Last Night Had to Be Postponed.

Members of the New Haven Town Council assembled last night in special meeting, but no business was transacted owing to the absence of Borough Solicitor Higbee and the impossibility of the Auditors to complete the audit

The session was called for the purpose of making a bond issue to clear up all certificates of indebtedness The Council has outstanding in the neighborhood of $11,000 in certificates of indebtedness, all of which are drawing six per cent interest A bond issue covering this amount and reducing the interest from six to five per cent is desired The informal talk of the Councilmen developed the fact that besides this there were $3,000 in bonds outstanding also, and these are drawing six per cent. One of the bonds is upwards of 20 years old.

The Council desires to wipe out these old bonds also, but it is said that the borough in issuing $12,000 in bonds would exceed the legal limit Some of the Councilmen, however, believe that the borough resources would permit the issuing of sufficient bonds to clear up all the indebtedness, but this cannot be ascertained until the audit is completed and until legal advice is secured

The difficulty the Auditors are having in completing their work is occasioned by trouble in securing the amount of municipal liens and a few other items to be classed as resources This data is secured at Uniontown from the court records and considerable time is required to get it

A meeting, however, will be held very soon and the matter settled

GREENSBURG WON

Against Local High School Nine in Fine Game at Greensburg Yesterday Afternoon

The High School Boys went over to Greensburg yesterday and were taken into camp by the High School of that town by the score of 5 to 4 The game was a well contested one The detailed score follows

Connellsville.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Clasper, 2	3	0	0	3	0	
Powell, lf	4	0	1	0	3	
Eby, c	4	1	0	8	1	
Munk ss	4	1	1	6	2	
Thomas rf	4	0	1	0	0	
Fosselman, 3	3	1	1	2	1	
Stillwagon, 1.	4	1	1	7	2	
Myers mf	3	0	0	1	0	
Dunn, p	2	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	27	4	5	24	7	9

Greensburg.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Eicher, ss	3	0	1	3	3	2
Myers, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Vaughrey, mf	1	0	0	0	1	0
H Waldron, mf	4	0	1	1	0	0
D Waldron,	3	1	0	7	0	0
Huffner c	2	0	1	4	0	0
Bair, c	2	0	1	6	1	0
MacHardy 2	4	1	0	2	2	1
Perry, 3	3	0	0	2	3	0
Gaut, lf	2	2	0	0	0	0
Sheffner, lf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Brown, p	3	1	2	0	2	0
Totals	29	5	6	27	12	4

Score by innings
Greensburg 0 3 1 1 0 0 0 0 *—5
Connellsville 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0—4

Struck out by Brown 8 by Dunn 7 Bases on balls, off Brown 5 off Dunn 3 Double plays, Munk to Fosselman, Munk to Clasper Eicher to MacHardy to D. Waldron Earned runs Connellsville 2, Greensburg 1

LOTS SELLING.

Mrs. E. C. Galloway Sells One on Cedar Avenue to George Z. Parkhill of Vanderbilt.

There are several real estate deals about to be completed in the near future, among them a deal for two lots owned by the Hogg heirs on Cedar avenue, between Etna and Arch streets These are ideal building lots, and it is understood that the sale will be closed up some time during the next three or four days.

Mrs E C Galloway has closed a deal for the sale of a fine lot on West Cedar avenue, adjoining the property of Patrick May, to George Z Parkhill of Vanderbilt On this lot Mr Parkhill will erect at once a handsome 10 room house, which will probably be his own residence

Mrs Galloway has also sold a lot on Patterson avenue, adjoining the home of Frank Thompkins, to Thomas Boyd, a B. & O engineer, who will erect this summer on the ground a six-room house

Notice to Ticket Holders Tonight.

Owing to the large size and demand for tickets for "The Clansman" tonight at the Soisson Theatre Manager Fred Robbins announces that those persons who have tickets engaged must telephone the treasurer or call for tickets, assuring their acceptance and use before six o clock this evening

Try one of our classified ads Only one cent a word.

The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR April 24—The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold an ice cream and cake social tonight and Saturday night.

Mrs J B Ways of Connellsville was here Thursday evening calling on friends

Miss Mae Stewart was the guest of friends in Connellsville yesterday

Harry Carpenter of Connellsville was here on business yesterday

Joe Minard was in Connellsville yesterday

T E McClosky of Pittsburg was here yesterday attending to business matters

G D Barker and wife of New York are the guests of friends here

The funeral of the late Mrs Elizabeth Sheard was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o clock at Fayette Station Interment being made in Mt Auburn Cemetery

W D Cole of Pittsburg, who was here for a few days attending to some business matters left yesterday for his home in Pittsburg

F L Robinson of Pittsburg was here Thursday visiting friends

The Dunbar baseball team met the Y M C A team Wednesday afternoon on the Diamond and a very interesting game was played The visitors with a sad and disconsolate look returned home defeated by a score of 9 to 8

Rev William Miller the newly elected pastor of the First Presbyterian Church was installed Thursday evening as pastor of the church Rev M H Bowman pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church delivered the charge to the congregation while Rev Reed pastor of the Laurel Hill Presbyterian Church delivered the charge to the pastor A large congregation greeted Rev Miller in his new charge

James and Michael Connell who are students at the St Vincent s College returned on Thursday to resume their studies after spending their Easter vacation here as the guests of their parents Mr and Mrs Patrick Connell of Speers Hill

Mr and Mrs R J McGee were in Uniontown Thursday evening attending a reception given by the Masons at that place

Mrs Edward Leckemby of New Haven was here Thursday the guest of Mr and Mrs J Leckemby of Railroad street.

Mr and Mrs Harry Groff were the guests of friends in Connellsville on Thursday

Mr and Mrs Harry McGibbons were in Uniontown yesterday evening attending a reception given by the Masons

Mrs James Mason of Connellsville was the guest of her mother Mrs J Harden of Speers Hill yesterday

On Sunday evening at 7:40 at the Methodist Episcopal Church Rev J A Eby of the Y M C A in Connellsville will preach on the Y M C A work and all men who are interested in the work should hear this talk Sunday May 1 the anniversary of the church will be celebrated when Rev George D Crossmin, President of the Beaver College will preach the anniversary sermon at 11 A M and Rev W A Prosser who was formerly pastor of the church but who is now located at Conemaugh will occupy the pulpit in the evening At 3 P M a social meeting will be held in the church

William Bowden was in Uniontown yesterday evening attending a banquet given by the Masons

Miss Etta N Bie who was the guest of relatives at Adelaide returned home Wednesday

Mrs James Scanlon was the guest of Mr and Mrs Patrick Burns at Lemont on Wednesday

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs J Leckemby of Railroad street A very interesting meeting was held and a full membership attended

Miss Minnie Frazee who had been the guest of friends at Connellsville for the past few days, returned home Thursday

Rev J S Leland pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church in Uniontown was recently the guest of Rev and Mrs F W Perkins the latter pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE April 24—Mrs F E Burdetts returned to her home here Thursday morning after a short visit with relatives near Mill Run

Miss Mary Brady spent Wednesday evening with friends near Mill Run

Misses Myrtle and Ida Bailey of Whig Corner were shopping and visiting relatives and friends in town Thursday

Mrs Hester Williams left yesterday for Indian Creek to visit relatives and friends for a few days

Mrs C Peck and son Buster were visiting relatives and friends in Connellsville Thursday

Mrs Charles Collins of Connellsville was the guest of her mother Mrs J W Holt of this place Thursday

Roy Bryner of near Kentuck was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday

Alfred Mitchell was attending to business matters in Uniontown yesterday

H T Holt was a business caller in Uniontown and Greensburg yesterday

Mrs Sophia Inks of near Farmington was shopping and visiting friends in town yesterday

Mrs Harry Hall of Whig Corner was shopping in town Thursday

Mrs B S McNutt returned to her home in Somerfield Thursday evening after a short visit with relatives in town

Irwin Bailey is busily engaged in painting and papering the Lodge house of this place

Street Commissioner James Sesse had his gang of men engaged in putting a new box drain pipe across the road near the Burgess office yesterday

Mrs Nettie Daniels and daughter of near Whig Corner were shopping in town Thursday

William Avery was a business caller in town yesterday

TARR.

TARR April 24—Some little excitement occurred here yesterday afternoon at 2 o clock when the cry of fire was heard People rushed from their houses and were soon able to locate the blaze coming from a small house at the east end of the company row There being a number of idle men about the fire was soon extinguished before any great amount of damage was done

Charles Brass of Alverton who was injured in the Brownfield-Connellsville Coke Company s mine on Wednesday underwent an operation Thursday He stood it well

Miss Volghtman was a Mt Pleasant shopper from this place yesterday

Thomas Daugherty is going about with a limp to his gait the result of spraining his ankle while out walking the other evening

Read The Courier

MT. PLEASANT.

MT PLEASANT April 23—Jacob Kromer and wife of Scottdale were visiting friends and relatives here this afternoon

Mrs Mary Norris of this city died today of infirmities of old age at the home of her sister Mrs John Murphy on Shupe street Deceased was 79 years of age Interment will take place in the local cemetery Saturday

John McVay and Lawrence Hitchman, local anglers of repute returned today from the streams near the Posey House with 150 nice trout to their credit

S M Albright and William Reed of this place are business callers today at Scottdale

Wallace Lowther of Church street returned this afternoon from a short business trip to Pittsburg

Richard Doncaster of College avenue was a business caller in Scottdale this afternoon

Philip Stout of Champion was calling on friends here this afternoon

Father O Donnell of the local Catholic Church was a business caller in Greensburg today

Homer Boyer a local High School lad is able to resume his studies following a month s illness caused by a boiling on his neck

Mr and Mrs Kalp and daughter Erne of Bridgeport street left recently for Cambria Texas at which place they will visit for a month

The Dreamland nickelodeon on East Main street has been fitted out for vaudeville and the proprietors Mullen Bros will hereafter conduct high class vaudeville at that place of amusement

Carl Miller of the East End was calling on friends in New Haven this afternoon

The class game of baseball which was to have taken place this afternoon at Frick park between the Middle Year High School team and local Institute team was cancelled on account of some of the High School lads being detained after school hours to make up lost time while staying out to practice for a former game

C W Jamison of Greensburg was a business caller here today

Thomas Moore of Church street is attending to business matters in Pittsburg this week

Ralph D Hurst of Greensburg was visiting friends and relatives in this place this afternoon

P J Blough of Hoovereville was a business caller in this place last evening

Lew Mockling a civil engineer in the employ of the Fayette Engineering Company of Uniontown was attending to business matters here today

The young son of Mr and Mrs Patrick of the East End is very ill with pneumonia

Miss Anna Bailey of Scottdale was calling on friends here on Thursday evening

Miss Mary Gimmell of Main street left this afternoon to pay a short visit to relatives at New Kensington

The manager of the local High School base ball team has arranged a game to be played with the Connellsville students here on May —

Ernest Rowland and T D Beaton of this place attended the leap year dance at Scottdale this evening

Harry Brown of Central was a business caller here this afternoon

Mrs S P Zimmerman Mrs Bitz both Buttermore and Miss Mary Tiber of this place will attend the funeral of Mrs Fisher at Connellsville today

Margaret and Gladys Lewis of Connellsville were calling on friends and relatives here today

Miss Josephine Lage entertained a number of her friends at dinner at her home last evening

Guy Robbins and Frank R Mcintosh of the East End are visiting friends in Pittsburg a few days this week

Ralph Husband of Main street was a caller in Scottdale this evening

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD April 2 —We were in error in the number of students in ... the first day at the summer Normal here Prof Wheatley informs us this morning that the number was 90 instead of ... as erroneously stated This was increased to 90 the next day and the Professor says the enrollment will reach ... hundred or more All sections in this end of the county Springhill Nicholson German and Georges townships are represented

The writer is in receipt of a communication from a nephew imparting to him the sad news that his mother Mrs Dr Stutzgaver who is a sister of the writer is perhaps on her last bed of sickness at her home in ... ton Ill

Constable M J Stick was transacting business pertaining to his office in Uniontown yesterday

Miss Ola Brownfield was a Uniontown shopper yesterday

C A Cessna returned from Cumberland on Monday where he had spent several days visiting with a sister and other relatives

There was a heavy frost here Tuesday morning and a light one this morning Neither it is thought did any damage to fruit on account of the dry atmosphere

John Benzl the Stoff and High House merchant was transacting business in the borough this morning

Walter Walls died at his home in East Georges township yesterday and will be buried in the Sesler burying ground near Hopwood at 10 A M tomorrow The deceased was 40 years old and died of typhoid fever A wife and two or three children survive him

B F Black J and wife are doing a little shopping in Uniontown today

A Howard is having a Tri-State phone put in his residence today

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT April 24—C O Bain was in Connellsville last evening

Mrs W A Freed was in town shopping Thursday morning

Mrs Durbin and Mrs Rice of Dawson were visiting at the home of Mrs Harry Shallenberger on Wednesday

Mrs Allen was shopping in Dawson today

J P Shallenberger was in Connellsville on business Thursday

Mrs Clarence Lint was shopping in Dawson yesterday

Mrs Ira Bailey was shopping in Connellsville on Thursday

Mr and Mrs John Blair and children of New Haven are visiting relatives here

Mrs Charles Randolph, Sr was visiting at Jacob s Creek recently

James Dunn and family moved to Brownsville this week

Mrs Will Allen is visiting her parents in East Liberty

Miss Kate Morrow was calling in Dawson this morning

The W C T U held their business meeting at the home of Mrs G B Roberts

Mrs Will Baught of Uniontown who had been visiting her parents in East Liberty returned home this week

DAWSON.

DAWSON April 24—The Bank Clerks under the management of J Allen Crawford defeated the Perryopolis High School on the Layton grounds Thursday afternoon by the score of 7 to 4 the winning run being made in the last half of the ninth inning with one man out The game was close and exciting The good work of Cochran in the pitching line was a feature he having 13 strikeouts to his credit Manager Crawford played a good game in the field and his batting was timely It was Dawson s first game and they played a good all-around game as did the High School Cochran won his own game in the ninth inning with a two-base hit

Charles H Boyd is reported on the sick list

W F Bute has returned home from Grand Ridge Ill where he was called on account of the death of his sister Mrs McMullen

Misses Lou and Catharine McGill attended the leap year dance at Scottdale Thursday evening

Earl Sherbondy who has been spending the past few months in Florida returned home Wednesday

Mrs Harry J Bell was the guest of friends in Pittsburg Thursday

Roy Harry and William McCune Ike Cochran Clarence McGill David Hess band Pug Ridenour and Frank Keslar were Dawson people who took in the opening ball game at Pittsburg Wednesday and saw the Pirates win over St Louis by a score of 5 to 1

Howard Lohm is looking after some business matters in the Smoky City today

Guy Brallier went to Pittsburg today to take in the base ball game

Mr and Mrs A B Knight attended the funeral of Mr Knight s cousin Mrs Margaret Wilson at Charleroi Wednesday

Martin Hecklinger attended the Dawson Perry game at Layton Thursday

Ed Carr was looking after some business matters at Layton Thursday

William Shallenberger was a caller at Star Junction Thursday

Harry M Donall was looking after some business matters Wednesday and also took in the ball game at Exposition park

Miss Dr James Cochran of Star Junction is the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs Eli Hinton of Main street

The Dawson Five Hundred Club entertained at five hundred and euchre last evening in the Cochran banquet hall The hours were from 8:30 P M until 12 o clock Luncheon was served A number of out of town guests were present

Harry McDonald Guy Brallier Roy Hen William McCune Harry Cochran and Ike Cochran of Dawson attended the opening game of baseball in the National League at Pittsburg on Wednesday

ROCKWOOD

ROCKWOOD April 24—Mrs James McF Miller and children of Johnstown are spending this week in town visiting among friends and relatives

... Snyder the exclusive furniture dealer and undertaker of this place has gone to Pittsburg for a business visit of several days

... Conrad and Aaron Myers have ... of ... work ... of ... street which ... after the severe winter ...

Rev D S Wimer pastor of the New Centreville Lutheran Church was a business visitor in town yesterday

The Normal school here under the superintendency of Prof B E Frazee is progressing very nicely and ... There are now ... students enrolled and more will ... for the last four weeks

Miss Ruth Cook of Hyndman is a guest of Miss Ella McVicker of the South Side

Miss Edith Ward formerly a resident of this place was visiting at the McSpadden home several days this week Miss Ward had just finished teaching the term of school at Garrett and stopped off here en route to her home in Pittsburg

Mrs B F Hanna of Point Marion spent several days here this week visiting her parents Mr and Mrs George Parks

Martin T Ritenour of Connellsville is spending several days here and he and his brother George are doing considerable fishing in the mountain streams of this vicinity

Samuel Reisinger manager of the Bucknon Hotel has gone to Uniontown where he will transact business and visit his family for several days

Miss Edith Helmbaugh who had been employed at Ligonier for the past several months has returned to her home on West Broadway

BELLEVERNON.

BELLEVERNON April 23—Harry Grip was a visitor in Pittsburg today

Mr and Mrs Charles Haggerty were in Pittsburg yesterday

Mr and Mrs Vernon Everett of Pittsburg were recent visitors at the home of Denton Lynn

Mr and Mrs Albert Dunn is moving into a part of the house occupied by J W Kreppa today

Margaret the daughter of John and Anna Schmidt died at the hospital yesterday the funeral service will be held tomorrow

Mr and Mrs S P Jones will soon return to their home in Bellevernon after spending the winter in Orlando Fla

William Smith who has been sick a long time is improving slowly

The C I A V dance will be held in the Bank of Charleroi Hall this evening Stewart s orchestra will furnish the music

Bellevernon has been as quiet as a graveyard the past few days

NEW SALEM.

NEW SALEM April 23—Miss Martha Savage and Miss Amy Penn of Connellsville were visiting Miss Ethel Davis yesterday

Miss Maggie Campbell is visiting her aunt, Mrs Permin Brown today

John Nef was calling in town yesterday

Mrs William Davis and daughter Jennie are in Uniontown today

M C Russell of Connellsville who has been at the home of his parents Mr and Mrs J J Russell with an attack of illness is somewhat better at this time

B F King is having his house repapered H A Russell is doing the work

Aaron Hibbs of near Merrittstown is a business caller in town today

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CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE April 24—Mrs L S ... who has been sick for the past two weeks is reported to be getting better

Charles Deemse ... was out hauling with his ... team

Bert Black is painting up some of the ... of Black s department store

Albert Hy ... is building a new home for ... east of town

The electrician is installing electric light in Mrs Huldah Mountain s house on Olen street

Vandyk Humbert is plastering the William Bowers house today

Wesley Shaw who resides in town expects to go West in the near future

A B Humbert who has been away for the past few days has returned home again

Louis Fish was a town caller today

The boys are quite busy fishing for trout as this is a fine season

Roy ... who is working at the ... big mill was a caller in town today

Arrivals at Hotel Dodds M Rolm helmer Philadelphia O S Kantner Somerset county J D Sturgis Pittsburg C L White Hunton Md D Young West Virginia J J Delaney New York I B Illet Pittsburg J Varons Pittsburg ... Johnstown M J McMahon Pittsburg J M Conway Cumberland H B Snider Meyersdale W ... Bigley Somerset county J M Wilson ... mont

THE SULLIVANS

At Magic Land Dance Some Marvelous Jigs in Clever Manner

The four Sullivans are creating a sensation with their marvelous dancing at Magic Land The quartette dances some of the cleverest jigs and new movements in a tuneful manner Manager Sam Hartman has arranged an immense bill for next week and will present six big high class vaudeville acts that will be sure to pack the theatre to its capacity at every performance

With the coming of warm weather every modern improvement will be installed to make the theatre cool and pleasant

Something New on the Carpet.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

Saturday is the Last Day of Our Wonderful Bagain-Giving Anniversary Sale. Make the Most of It.

Every day this week the crowds in attendance on our First Anniversary Sale have been the largest this store has ever accommodated. Selling has gone far beyond all past records. And it would be strange indeed if this were not the case, because,

These Great Anniversary Bargains Come Right at the Heighth of the Demand for Spring Garments and Merchandise.

Saturday this sale ends. **That means you have one more day only in which to buy choice, new goods which you must have at lower prices than you ever hoped to pay**

The last shall be the greatest day of the sale. The list of bargains quoted here will long stand unequalled. To neglect this final opportunity to save on NEW things which must be bought in the immediate future is simply to be careless of economy.

SUITS

$25 00 suits in all the leading shades and styles $18 75

Small women s and misses' suits from $9.90 up

$13 50 silk jumper dresses in all the leading shades $9 40

$6 00 taffeta silk petticoats at only $4 40

$8 voile skirts in black $5 40

DRESS GOODS

Mohair Sicilian

Plain high lustre regularly 60c and Anniversary Sale 39c

15c figured lawn 11c

15c dress ginghams 11c

25c imported white madras 18c

15c percales all colors 11c

Standard calicoes 5½c

CURSAINS

50c values, anniversary price 37c

75c values anniversary price 48c

$1 00 values anniversary price only 69c

(Others sold up to $15)

UNDERWEAR

25c value corset covers 17c

50c value corset covers 37c

$1 value skirt chemise 78c

$1 50 value skirt chemise $1 15

50 value skirts 38c

$1 00 value skirts 78c

75c value gowns 57c

$1 00 value gowns 69c

50c value chemise 38c

$1 00 value chemise 69c

25c value drawers 17c

50 value drawers 36c

$1 25 elbow length silk gloves, double finger tipped, white, black, blue and brown, all sizes, nothing more need be said, at 89c

Fine Lingerie Waists well made, $1.40 value, anniversary price 79c

Choice from 75 dozen of soft Turkish towels or linen finished buck towels, either one worth 12½c, anniversary sale price 8½c

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136 N. Pittsburg St., Connellsville, Pa.

INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S OUTFITTING. Fourth Floor.

One of the most extensive lines PETTICOATS For Infants, Children and Misses Ever Shown in the City.

And, quality considered, the prices are less than elsewhere.

Materials—Nainsooks, lawns, cambrics and longcloths.

Infants' Long Petticoats—

Waist models. Plain hemstitched hem or tucked lawn ruffles. Other models trimmed with embroidery or lace.

Five different models........ 50c each
Two different models........ 75c each
Two different models........ 95c each
Three different models.......$1.25 each

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McCreery and Company,

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SKIRTS! SKIRTS!

SPECIAL

At Less Than 50c on the Dollar.

100 fine Voil Skirts.

50 Silk Tarfeta Skirts.

39 fine Imported Chiffon Panama Skirts, trimmed, 5 inch silk fold or of same material, in black, brown, blue and gray

At $5.98

See Our Window Display.

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The Daily Courier.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice, Connellsville.

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J. H. S. STIMMELL, Secretary and Treasurer.

Office, The Courier Building, 127½ Main Street, Connellsville, Pa.

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY of Fayette: ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and State, personally appeared J. J. Driscoll, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, April 11, 1908, was as follows:

April 13	6,165
April 14	5,960
April 15	6,000
April 16	5,940
April 17	6,234
April 18	6,193
Total	36,642
Daily Average	6,107

That the daily circulation by months for 1907 was as follows:

1907. Month.	Total Copies.	Daily Avg.
January	141,783	5,465
February	131,180	5,405
March	146,597	5,038
April	147,220	5,083
May	162,815	5,252
June	146,858	5,134
July	141,951	5,460
August	141,236	5,230
September	136,721	5,469
October	146,809	5,218
November	146,720	5,413
December	135,987	5,439
Totals	1,707,058	5,500

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1908 to date was as follows:

1908. Month.	Total Copies.	Daily Avg.
January	150,844	5,587
February	144,061	5,784
March	156,732	6,028

And further sayeth not.

JAS. J. DRISCOLL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April, 1908.

JOHN KURTZ, Notary Public.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 24, 1908.

THE PASSING FINANCIAL STORM.

Recent realty sales in both Connellsville and Uniontown, and the forward trend of building this spring, are encouraging signs of the times. They indicate that confidence has in a large measure returned to business circles and that money is coming out from the hiding places which a few months ago it sought in fear and panic.

There is also a disposition on the part of our halting industries to strike a livelier pace. The successful flotation of a $40,000,000 bond issue by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the purpose of making progressive improvements is the most striking instance of this new and gratifying condition. An instance close to home was the announcement a few days ago that the H. C. Frick Coke Company would spend a million dollars or more in new construction this summer. Fayette county has some live railroad and coal developments in progress; and these, with the building operations and realty sales, are but local reflections of returning general confidence.

The country is recuperating. In spite of the shadow of a Presidential campaign the sun of prosperity is peeping out again. It was a pretty stiff storm, but evidently it is passing over. There are a few croaking rain crows left, but the situation isn't so desperate as they would lead one to believe.

Aquaphobia is a different disease from hydrophobia. People afflicted with the latter fear water, while the former just love it very trickle and can't talk about anything else.

The Smithfield veterans want their sons to learn to shoot straight.

The Mount Pleasant spelling bee spelled disaster for at least one man.

The Yough river improvement is making no appreciable progress, but it isn't resting on its oars. It must be remembered that it is pulling against the stream.

The exciting experience of Fairchance last night emphasizes the necessity of hurrying along the completion of its contemplated fire protection. A growing and enterprising town like Fairchance should be provided with a proper water supply.

Uniontown has a dreadful time getting some people to come back to its earnest hospitality.

Borough improvements sometimes cost more than the estimates.

New Haven is intent on a bond issue, but it is a good business proposition.

New Haven is evidently up to the legal limit of indebtedness. It is the proper time for her to hitch up with Connellsville. There is no difference between the two boroughs in this respect and should, therefore, be no jealousy.

Connellsville lots are good investments and the fact is being recognized.

It is to be hoped that the conservation of our natural resources, about which the President and all the great statesmen of the nation will shortly have a grand pow-wow, will extend to the canalization of the Yough.

Fairchance only had half a chance against threatened destruction, but she made good with a proper effort.

Mount Pleasant was singed a trifle, too.

The Chamber of Congress insists that the wires must come down in the business portions of the town and that insurance rates must also take a tumble. The people will heartily second the motion.

The Chamber of Commerce should go slow on regulation without ownership. That is a much-debated prerogative of government.

WORKERS ON PARADE

Miners of Butler County Make Demonstration at Non-Union Mines

SHERIFF HASTENS TO SCENE

But Finds All Quiet—Demonstration Succeeds in Its Object of Calling Non-Union Miners Away From Their Work—Trouble Predicted.

Butler, Pa., April 24.—Trouble for the non-union miners and operators of the mines on the Hillard branch of the Bessemer and Lake Erie railway in the northern part of Butler county started when 200 union miners marched from Grove City and visited the Standard mine, owned by Harry Hamilton; the Nellie mine, owned by McFarland & Co., and the Windber mine, owned by Lochrie Bros., to induce 6,000 men working in the open mines to quit.

The non-union men left the mines and told the operators they would refuse to return. The invading union miners are led by officials of district No. 5, United Mineworkers. Operators of the three mines came to Butler and asked protection from the county authorities. Surety of the peace warrants were issued for ten leaders of the union miners.

Sheriff A. M. Campbell and a force of deputies went to Hilliard to restore order. They found all quiet. Serious trouble is looked for when the non-union men start to work. A call for a detachment of state police will be asked if the deputy sheriffs cannot cope with the situation. The operators declare the mines will positively be opened.

For three months the three mines have been operated non-union and nine hours on a wage scale in force for three years. The operators declare they cannot give the miners the eight-hour day and compete with the Pittsburg district on account of the quality of coal and shallow veins. Since the agitation over the wage scale has commenced the operators have lost valuable contracts, which have gone to the Pittsburg district.

ANNA ARRIVES TODAY

Her Dear Prince Helle Has Awful Time With Reporters.

Naples, April 24.—Declaring that he had been driven almost to desperation Prince Helle de Sagan left the hotel at which he had been staying and took an apartment on the Corso Vittorio Manuele under the name of Louis Perigord. He expressed regret at the delay of the steamer Friedrich der Grosse, on which Mme. Anna Gould is a passenger, which arrived today, a day late. Its arrival, he said, would mean "protection from being victimized by damned reporters of two hemispheres."

In trying to escape the close watch the newspapermen have placed on him the prince drove along the Toledo sea front, but soon discovered that his driver was in league with the cabdrivers of his persecutors, animated signals passing between them by means of their whips. He returned at once to his hotel.

The prince went to the theater in the evening, but soon realized that all the convenient places near him were occupied by reporters. He left in disgust, exclaiming: "I thought it impossible to be worse treated than in America."

The prince has engaged a magnificent apartment dating from Friday at Bertolini's Palace hotel, which dominates Naples and from which a splendid view of the gulf and Mount Vesuvius may be had. It is presumed that the apartment has been engaged for Mme. Gould.

GAS KILLS FOUR MINERS

Explosion Occurs in Ellsworth No. 1 at Ellsworth, Pa.

Washington, Pa., April 24. — Four miners lost their lives in mine No. 1 of the Ellsworth Coal company at Ellsworth by an explosion of gas. More than 100 men were at work at the time. Nearly all escaped uninjured. The dead: Joseph Banks, fifty-three years old; Wasil Uidpsh, thirty-one years old; Alex Yatsko, thirty-seven years old; Albert Serafin, twenty-six years old.

Banks, who was the only American, was a widower and leaves seven children. A rescue party composed of fourteen experienced miners, headed by Mine Inspector Henry Loutlit of Monongahela, spent most of the day in the devastated portions of the mine.

The explosion, which occurred in No. 2 heading west, is supposed to have been caused when men working ahead of the air struck a pocket of gas, which exploded.

18 PLOTTERS EXECUTED

President Cabrera Explains Slaughter of Alleged Would-Be Assassins.

Guatemala City, Guatemala, April 24.—President Cabrera himself is authority for the statement that eighteen of the ringleaders in a conspiracy against him already have been shot to death and that probably more executions will follow.

President Cabrera, against whose life an attempt was made by students on Monday last, received the representatives of the various powers and made a lengthy statement to them that he had unearthed an extensive conspiracy against him that led up to his attempted assassination. He declared that eighteen of the leaders had been executed by his orders and that the death penalty would be meted out to others at the hands of the military. Among those are the men who were imprisoned a year ago, having been implicated in a plot to assassinate the president. They were sentenced to death soon after their arrest, but the sentence had not been carried out. President Cabrera said that he had proofs that a majority of these prisoners were implicated in the new attempt against his life and that they would be implicated without delay.

JAPAN—"If this yellow brother of mine slaps me in the face too often with that queue, there'll be trouble."

The Japanese are beginning to resent the Chinese boycott now being enforced against them.—News Item.

Trainmen Must Pay.

Orders have been issued by G. L. Potter, Third Vice President of the B. & O., not to carry trainmens packages free, but to charge full express rates. Baggagemasters have been in the habit of carrying packages for railroadmen free.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted.

WANTED.—ALL MEN WANT THE best clothes and they can get them made here for $18 up. DAVE COHEN, Tailor. 9

WANTED.—POSITION AS CLERK. Best reference. Eight years' experience. Address A, B, C, care Courier. 24apr3td*

WANTED.—A GIRL WHO CAN DO free hand printing and fancy writing. Address application, with samples, to X, Y, Z, care Courier. 24apr1td

STENOGRAPHER. — YOUNG MAN as assistant to manager, $1000. Also opening for private secretary, $1500. Beginner, $400. Many other openings. Write today. HAPGOODS, 1128 Park building, Pittsburg.

WANTED.—GOOD MANAGER FOR established plumbing and heating business, who will take half interest, or will sell outright and take stock part payment. Good territory. ROCKWOOD SUPPLY HOUSE, Rockwood, Pa. 23apr6td*

WANTED. — LOCAL MANAGER (man or woman) for adjacent territory, to employ agents for Yukon Silver Tableware and Spring Tension Shears. Best proposition now offered. $20 a week and expenses. ZIEGLER CO., 265 S. Fourth, Philadelphia. 24apr6td*

For Rent.

FOR RENT. — FINE APARTMENT. Apply J. N. RUTH, Colonial National Bank. apr6tfd

FOR RENT. — FOUR DESIRABLE rooms near B. & O. depot; gas, water. Call Porter, 626 Tri-State. 23apr2td*

FOR RENT. — FRANK ZANCHI'S residence on South Pittsburg street. Inquire on the premises. apr22tf

FOR RENT.—SIX ROOM HOUSE, East Gibson avenue, near Main street. All conveniences. Bell Phone 123. april17tf

FOR RENT.—COTTAGE ON NORTH Arch street, three doors from Main. Inquire at NEW YORK RACKET STORE. aprtf

FOR RENT.—TWO FIVE ROOM Houses at South Connellsville, on street car line; rent $10 each; free water. Inquire at F. A. KAIL'S BANK. aprtf

FOR RENT.—FIVE ROOM FLAT, over Young's Store, South Pittsburg street. Inquire at YOUNG'S STORE. 20aprtf

For Sale.

FOR SALE.—LATEST TRI-CHROME Smith Premier Typewriter, in use less than a year. Can be seen at this office. aprtfd

FOR SALE.—ONE FAMILY DRIVING horse; five years; 1,075 pounds; doesn't scare at anything; a bargain. Inquire at this office. 23aprtf

FOR SALE.—400 CHICKS, 10 TO 15c each; one Mann Bone Cutter; three Cyphers Incubators; two Cyphers Brooders. N. F. PORTER, Pennsville, Pa. 23apr3t*

FOR SALE.—CHEAP AND CONVENIENT building lots at South Connellsville. Trolley line with transfer privileges; city water; convenient public schools. Prices within reach of the workingman. CONNELLSVILLE EXTENSION COMPANY, office The Courier Building, Connellsville, Pa. aprtfd

Charter Notices.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Monday, May twenty-fourth, Nineteen Hundred and Eight, by August Wack, John H. Hixon and Leslie A. Howard, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-Four, and the several supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "THE MIDDLE RUN COAL COMPANY," the character and object of which is the mining of coal, the manufacture of coal into coke and the various by-products in the coal contained, and the merchandising of coal and the various products manufactured therefrom, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its several supplements. LESLIE A. HOWARD, Solicitor. 24apr-may1,8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Monday, May eighteenth, Nineteen Hundred and Eight, by Harry E. Schenck, H. F. Barkley and John Irwin, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-four, and the several supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "THE CONNELLSVILLE BASEBALL CLUB," the character and object of which is the assembling, managing and maintaining a baseball club to consist of players skilled in the game or play of baseball, and the playing of the game or play of baseball as a business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its several supplements. LESLIE A. HOWARD, Solicitor. 24apr-may1,8

Smart Styles —IN— Men's Oxfords

In our Men's Oxford line we are showing a very attractive variety of styles and patterns in the best makes to be had. The materials are selected with the greatest care—cut over the best shaped lasts—and made for comfort, style, fit and the very best of wear. Made in all the suitable leathers—Patent Colt, plain black leathers, brown and tans. There can be no difficulty in in finding here just what is wanted in Oxfords. There's a shape here, suited to every foot and patterns varied enough to suit the tastes of any man. Nettleton's, $5.00. Ralston Health $4.00.

Norris & Hooper's
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Say!

We can furnish you with Glasses, Truss, Abdominal Belt or any Mechanical or Surgical appliance and save you money on it.

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Successors to Markell's Pharmacy

DUNN'S CASH STORES.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Western Pennsylvania.—Showers, probably thunder storms, Friday and Saturday; cooler Saturday; increasing south winds.

Another Customer.

We want just one more customer and you're the one that we want if you are not one already. If you will give us the chance to show how careful we are, what good things we sell and how much satisfaction there is in trading with us, we are sure you will become a regular customer and that's what we want. Never perfectly satisfied until you can look on this store and depend upon it for your needs. Perhaps some of these we mention below will interest you.

The Bargain Tables

Back in the cloak room we have two large tables which we will keep filled this week with children's dresses and muslin underwear. Going to call them dollar tables and sell any garment on either at $1.00 during this time. It will mean a bargain sale every day this week, and you'll find it an opportunity to buy more for a dollar than you've been able to get for some time, if ever.

Dress Goods at $1.00 the Yard

Some new fancy silks in this week to sell for this price that are better than ordinary dollar silk. Prettier patterns and better silk. Especially suited for waists and fall dresses.

Onyx Hosiery at 50c the Pair

Onyx stockings here at other prices, but we wish to call especial attention to these we have here at 50 cents the pair. Either plain lisle or fancy lace. The best 50 cent stockings we ever had to sell. Plenty for this week in the different shades of tan.

Carpets

Carpet buying time now and we would like to figure with you on your carpet needs. Let us put the plan as plainly as we can. Let us give you our price in plain figures exactly what your carpet will cost you. Count it up for yourself and if we cannot save you a reasonable amount on every carpet you purchase, we don't ask you to buy. If you are not acquainted with this department, on your way here ask some of your neighbors about the kind of carpets we have here, how well they wear and how well they are made and laid. You'll get some information that way that will be worth something to you. One make of carpets that we are particularly proud to have to show you is the Stinson carpets. These sell at $1.10 for the Tapestry and $1.25 for the Velvets. These prices mean made, laid and lined. Our carpet knowledge tells us that for the price there is no better carpets made than Stinson's.

Special Shades

We can make your shades for you any width and any length. All our shades are made of best quality oil shading and mounted on Hartshorn rollers. Unroll your shades the next time you are buying and see whether the shades are mounted on Hartshorn rollers. It's the kind you want and should have.

Butterick Fashions

The finest and most complete fashion book ever published. Priced at 25 cents, which includes a certificate good for one Butterick pattern. Call at our pattern department and see it and we will tell you how you can get four Butterick patterns free.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

SOLE DISTRIBUTORS OF "AMERICAN LADY" $10.00 SKIRT.

NEW SILKS FOR SHIRT WAIST SUITS. EXCLUSIVE PATTERNS.

MARVELOUS! MARVELOUS!

$1 and $1.25 New Lawn Waists 69c

Marvelous is the word for this shirt waist sale. Monday, we received a new shipment of $1.00 and $1.25 white lawn waists, today we place them on sale at 69c

At this price we give you a wide range of styles and sizes. Some are lace and embroidery trimmed, others embroidery trimmed. Both long and short sleeve models—some button front, others button back, mostly button back styles. Every waist is up to the minute in style, workmanship and perfect fitting.

69c THE ONLY THING CHEAP ABOUT THESE WAISTS IS THE PRICE.... 69c

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY. SIZES 34 TO 44.

106 W. N. LECHE 106

Boys' New Oxfords

A boy has a right to wear out a half dozen times as many shoes as his father and he works the privilege to the limit.

While it would be absurd for us to say that our boys' shoes will not wear out, we will say that we have done everything in our power to have shoes built so that the task of wearing them out will be as difficult as posible.

The features of our Boys' Shoes that stand out prominently are the best of leathers, the best of shoe-making, with all the details that would better the shoes well looked afte

Our Boys' Oxfords

Are made something like our men's; narrow toes, swing lasts. Button and blucher, Black or Tan Leathers. PRICES

$2.00 $2.50 $3.00 $3.50

C. W. DOWNS & CO.,

Bissel Carpet Sweepers

Have made themselves a recognized necessity in every well ordered household. We have just received our spring supply and can show you all the various styles and finishes manufactured at low rates.

YOUR ENERGY IS INVALUABLE

and no easier way of saving it can be found than by throwing away your old broom and letting your common sense sell you a Bissel Sweeper.

BISSEL SWEEPERS ELIMINATE SPRING FEVER. THEY DO THE WORK SO EASY.

Schell Hardware Co.,
116 WEST MAIN STREET.

GRAND PROGRAM
Arcade Theatre
Week Commencing April 27

BUTLER AND LAMAR,
Celebrated Comedy Entertainers in their sketch entitled, "A Swell Reception."

IRV CLAUS
The Funny German Orator, Singer and Monologist.

LEONARD AND FULTON
That Irish Comedy Team in singing and talking.

WILL E. HARLAN AND MARION CAMERON
In a fine duet.

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The fine Operatic Vocalist. The young man whose tenor voice and personality are as much at home in Grand Opera as Comic.

WILL E. HARLAN
In Illustrated Songs.

MARION CAMERON
In Illustrated Songs.

ARCADEAGRAPH.
Showing the latest and best Motion Pictures.

NEWS OF SCOTTDALE.

Society Turns Out for the Leap Year Dance in the Auditorium.

MILL TOWN PERSONAL NOTES.

Comers and Goers and Bits of the Flying News Supplied by Our Special Correspondent for Westmoreland County Readers.

Special to The Courier.

Society was out en masse last night to attend the leap year dance in the auditorium in Ellsworth park and the disciples of the Terpsichorean art tripped gayly in response to the beautiful music of Kittering. The interior decorations were elaborate in the extreme, hearts of white and crimson interspersed with foliage of green leading to the large and beautifully lit hall, an artistic effect. The orchestra was lost in a labyrinth of stately ferns, while beneath them the red, white and blue of our country, was conspicuous. After youth and beauty met and chased with flying feet the first few hours, they were welcomed with a dainty lunch, excellently served. Many visitors from Pittsburg and surrounding towns were present, among whom were the following: R. J. Kennedy, Pittsburg; T. N. Nugent, Edward Strelbich, Braddock; Joseph J. Gillegan and Homer Dunn, Latrobe; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartigan and Miss Hartigan, Pittsburg; Miss Edith Jennings, McKeesport; Dr. Carroll McKee, Pittsburg; the Misses Suchert, Latrobe; Charles Devlin, Point Marion; Misses Mary and Alice Dillon of St. Joseph's Academy, Greensburg.

The Regulars and the Yanigans met yesterday afternoon and the Yanigans came away victorious. Two of the regular pitchers, Humphries and Crab, were the mainstay of the Yanigans, the former disposing of Regulars in the regular fashion of one, two three.

Following was the lineup of the Regulars: Rufe, left field; Shovin, catch; Smith, first base; White, short; Ferguson, third; Craig, middle; Killinger, right; Rush, second. Yanigans, lift, third; Sisley, middle; Morten, first; Ashenbaugh, catch; Buttermore, second; King, right; Hawkenberry, short; Smith left; Humphries, and Crab, pitch. The pitchers for the Regulars were Gorgas, Hemphill and Henderson.

A very unique sham battle will take place next Saturday in Love's woods near Tarr station, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., W. J. Graef and E. Clyde Evans having personal charge. Only the Junior members will be admitted and to carry it out in strictly wild west fashion everybody will carry along meat and potatoes which will be roasted over a fire, constructed in keeping with the occasion. The morning will be passed in constructing two camps about a quarter of a mile apart, to be dubbed a white and red man's camp respectively. The afternoon will be devoted to the battle and strict adherence to the rules will be demanded by the watchers whose decision on all actions will be final.

The Y. M. C. A. tennis court opened yesterday. The court is in excellent condition and many interesting games will be forthcoming.

Two colored gentlemen mixed it up last night on Bridge street and the atmosphere being rather unhealthy for one, he began running while the other followed in his walk and deposited a brick in the flying coat tail of his erstwhile friend. Being unsuccessful in his quest he began to vent the feelings on his lady, but the admonitions of a friend eventually found weight and he went home satisfied.

Deputy Sheriff Decker was a visitor here yesterday.

J. W. Campbell of Leckrone, Division Engineer of the Frick Company, was at the company's offices yesterday.

Mrs. Wilson Cox was a Greensburg visitor yesterday.

N. Y. Moffat of Scranton was a business caller here yesterday.

William and Joseph McCarthy of Greensburg were in town yesterday calling on friends.

The Salvation Army made its appearance last night for the first time in many months.

A. W. Leisenring of Dunbar was in town yesterday on business.

Robert A. Gans of Connellsville was a business visitor yesterday.

W. J. Miller of Connellsville was in town yesterday calling on friends.

F. H. Chance of Sherman was here on business yesterday.

Hughes Calls Extra Session.

Albany, N. Y., April 24.—The legislature of 1908 had barely closed its regular session before Governor Hughes caused to be filed a proclamation summoning an extraordinary session to begin on Monday, May 11. The proclamation gives no intimation of the purpose for which the governor calls the extra session. He would make no statement on the subject. The general expectation is that he will recommend for further consideration the propositions of his annual and especial messages of this year which the legislature failed to enact, especially the elimination of the sections of the Percy-Gray racing law and penal code, which for thirteen years has protected public gambling at racetracks.

Have you tried our classified ads? Only 1 cent a word.

THE CLANSMAN'S TONIGHT.

Sketch of the Remarkable Play Now Making a Farewell Tour.

One of the biggest houses that has been booked for the Soisson Theatre since it opened will see and hear "The Clansman" tonight. Only a few stray tickets were to be gotten by noon today, and the standing room sign will be up early this evening. "The Clansman" will not be put on in Uniontown, Greensburg or any nearby town and will jump from Connellsville to Youngstown. Theatre cars will have big crowds from Uniontown, Scottdale and the Vanderbilt district, and the audience will be the first big outpouring of the society folk since the lapse of the Lenten season.

The purpose of "The Clansman" management in sending that play abroad raises an interesting question as to the theatrical tastes of the different Anglo-Saxon nations. Some there are who predict that "The Clansman" will not be understood in England, that its burning words will fall on cold ears, while others, equally conversant with English conditions, are enthusiastic in the belief that it will appeal strongly to British theatre goers. As a matter of fact, nobody knows and nobody can tell until after the event what the verdict will be. Certainly the Reconstruction play should have a strong sentimental appeal to Englishmen. Properly introduced as the answer and sequel to "Uncle Tom's Cabin," it should got a favorable hearing and meet with success.

There seems to be little doubt that "The Clansman" should prove a money-maker in British South Africa and Australia. Although the motherland has no adequate conception of the negro problem, the colonists are keenly alive to it, and in fact face conditions practically equivalent to those in the United States. There has been night riding in South Africa and also in Australia comparable to the activities of the Ku Klux Klan. "The Clansman will be at the Soisson Theatre tonight.

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Manager Fred Robbins will inaugurate a season of high-class vaudeville at the Soisson Theatre Monday, April 27. The artists for the opening week have been selected with care and will include some of the best in the profession. The theatre will be kept cool and comfortable and patrons will be able to witness a splendid performance in an enjoyable manner. The complete program will be published in tomorrow's issue.

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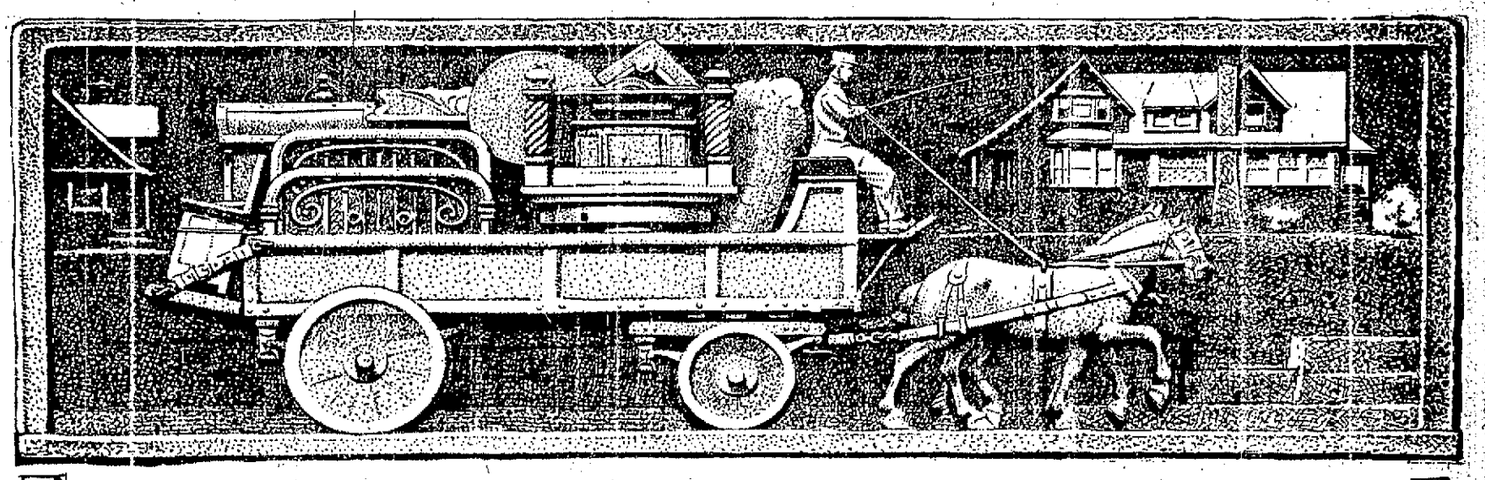

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NEWS OF GOTHAM.

Nearing Completion on the Ninety Million Dollar Tunnel System.

QUEER FAMILY COMPLICATIONS.

Catholic Priest Says Workers in the Slums Are Pauperizing the Poor Children and Making Grafters of Their Parents.

Special to The Courier.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Another important step in the vast $90,000,000 worth of improvements that are being carried out by the Pennsylvania railroad in its system of tunnels that will connect Manhattan with Long Island City and New Jersey was taken last week when the tunnel under the Bergen hill was completed. After this tunnel was connected it was possible to walk under ground and under water a distance of over five miles from Long Island to the Jersey Meadows. The completion of this tunnel is regarded by the officials of the road as the beginning of the end of the great enterprise which is to bring at least 1,000 trains a day into Manhattan. While the tunnel system is far from complete, for trains will not be run regularly until 1910, still the work is progressing satisfactorily. Over 15 miles of tunnel have already been excavated, which necessitated the removal of over 3,000,000 cubic yards of rock and earth.

The closing of the Fifth avenue hotel, New York's famous hostelry, destroyed at one fell swoop the homes of many of the world's most famous men, who have visited Gotham in the last 50 years. The auctioning off of the furniture from the rooms that had been occupied by famous men revealed a long list of noted characters. The furniture in one room that had been ocupied at different times by Abraham Lincoln, Benjamin Harrison and James G. Blaine brought high prices. The bidding was spirited for all of the furnishings of the famous old hotel, but besides the room mentioned, the effects from those rooms occupied by General Sherman, General McClellan, Dom Pedro and the Prince of Wales commanded very high prices. The hotel realized nearly $100,000 from the sale.

Social settlements and charity workers were given a black eye last week by Father Curry, pastor of St. James church in the lwer East Side. Father Curry pitched into the house established by Jacob Rils, President Roosevelt's friend, with special vehemence, and declared that it was pauperizing the children and making grafters of the parents. He further declared that charity workers among the poor people of the Ghetto did nothing but give it a bad name and that nine-tenths of the money which is entrusted to them in contributions is spent in supporting the workers in comfort and luxury. The attack stirred up the bitterest feeling throughout the city, because Mr. Rils is considered as the father of settlement work in the East Side, and is idolized by most of the people in that quarter. For his work there President Roosevelt styled him as the most useful man in the United States. For many years, too, when President Roosevelt was Police Commissioner, he worked with Mr. Rils in establishing settlement houses in the poverty stricken sections of Manhattan.

New York has one of the finest schools for crippled children in the world. It is located on the lower East Side, and in addition to having all the appointments of the usual school building, it has porcelain bath tubs, showers, elevator, dining room, a roof garden and a work room. Special chairs and desks have been installed to conform to the peculiar deformities of the different children. Fine needlework, book binding, basket weaving and manual training are taught in the school, and the work done by the boys and girls will be sold. The children are to be paid for their work, the girls receiving $3.50 each week of five days. For the poorest children meals will be furnished and free medical attendance is given to all. An omnibus goes from house to house collecting the children, brings them to school and carries them home again in the afternoon.

A queer case of family complications was presented in one of the city courts the other day that caused the Magistrate's head to swim and incidentally furnished a puzzle for those who like to figure out complex problems. The case was one of abandonment, which Mrs. Carrie Londgelll had to figure out. Ada Stillwell married William Londgelll, a widower, twenty years ago. Four children were born to them, William, Ada, Theodore and Sara. William Londgelll, Sr., had a son George by his first marriage. William, Sr., died, and his widow married her stepson George, thereby becoming step-sister-in-law to her own four children. Mr. and Mrs. George Londgelll were divorced. Mrs. Londgelll took David Siddell as her third husband. She is now suing Siddell for absolute divorce, and she names co-respondent her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Carrie Londgelll, wife of her son William, Jr. To cap the climax, Mrs. William Londgelll, a pretty French woman, accused her husband in the court room of being lazy, which caused her husband to faint dead away.

Dr. Julian Thomas, Gotham's daring society aeronaut, who has started the city with numerous hair raising ascensions, has retired from the Aero Club of America, and will devote his energies to founding a new club for aerial exploitations. The trouble between Dr. Thomas and the club dates back to the time he started in to buck what he called the "parlor aeronautics" of the conservative club by taking long trips and then telling all about them. The Aero Club said Thomas was a notoriety seeker, and that he dressed in white flannels and then sat on his front stoop so that the barkers and rubber neck coaches could point him out as the "celebrated aeronaut."

They have just elected a new chief of the fire department on Long Island, who is so deaf that he cannot hear an alarm. He was nominated as a joke, because of his deafness, but he took the nomination seriously and began an active canvass for votes with the result that he was elected. The firemen are in doubt as to the best method of arousing a deaf chief quickly, but it has been practically decided to tie a rope to his big toe, and give it a quick jerk when there is a fire.

The clamor for social distinction in New York, and the desire of wealthy Gothamites to live in the recognized fashionable quarters of the city has been carried to an extreme. However, one society woman has started a new wrinkle that is likely to extend the race for social position still further. The agents for a cemetery company was expatiating on the good points of a certain lot. Presently the prospective purchaser interrupted with the enumeration of several prominent families owning property there.

"Is this lot here theirs?" she asked.

The agent admitted that it was quite a distance off.

"Then," said the woman, "I don't want it. I'd rather pay more and get in a good neighborhood."

The agent collapsed.

"Has it come to the point," he said, "where people consider their next door neighbor even in a graveyard?"

BIG CONFERENCE

At Washington to Discuss the Conservation of Country's Resources.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—The conference of Governors and other public men which the President has called for a three days' session, beginning May 12, is going to be an important gathering. In the first place, every Presidential candidate will be on hand, Taft, Bryan, Hughes, Johnson, Fairbanks, Gray, Cannon, Knox and all the rest. Governor Freer of Hawaii will make the pilgrimage from Honolulu with three delegates, the Governor of Alaska has sent an enthusiastic acceptance, and then there's a host of plain American citizens who will attend as delegates from all the national organizations which have to do with the conservation of the country's natural resources.

Forests, rivers, soils, mining, agriculture and transportation are some of the big subjects that will be discussed. President Roosevelt has long been deeply interested in the problem of how to get the most out of the earth, yet leaving the greatest possible store for future generations. The alarming increase in the devastation of a number of our natural resources, the wasteful cutting of timber, erosion of soil, river floods, etc., have brought him to believe that there should be some concerted action all over the country looking to their more conservative use and better protection. Therefore he has summoned the Governors of the different States to meet with him, and, with the help of a large number of other public men, scientists, engineers and economists, try to thresh out a future course of action which shall result in a policy whereby it will be possible to eat the cake and still have some of it left.

James J. Hill, President of the Great Northern Railway, will make one of the opening addresses, dealing with the transportation problem. Andrew Carnegie, a steel expert before he began building libraries, will talk on ores and related minerals. Former President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers will speak on the coal question from the standpoint of the miner. T. C. Chamberlain, one of the foremost authorities on soils and President of the American Association for the advancement of Science, will address the conference on the waste of the soil. Ex-Governor George C. Pardee of California, who probably knows more about the reclamation of land than any other American, will dwell on that question. Then there will be scores of short 20 minute talks by public men, scientists and economists on various phases of natural conservation.

When President Roosevelt shall have adjourned the conference, patted each delegate on the back and told him how delighted he was to meet him, it is expected that the delegates will go back home thoroughly imbued with a spirit of enthusiasm and be ready to adjust the wheels of legislation so as to grind out laws in line with this new policy.

HARRIMAN INTERESTS

Alleged to Have Bought Land at $250 and Sold at $10 an Acre.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—One of the bitterest fights of the session occurred in the House yesterday over the adoption of the Senate resolution instructing the Attorney General to institute a suit to wrest not the small but the entire southwest of Oregon from the Harriman interests, which are alleged to have violated a restriction under which they received a grant for 3,000,000 million acres of land involved. The land lies within 20 miles of Oregon and the California railroad across the western part of Oregon, and was granted the company in 1866. Before any land had been patented the United States amended a grant so that the land had to be sold to the actual settlers only, in quantities not exceeding 160 acres and for not more than $2.50 an acre.

Since 1893 it is alleged that the Harriman management has sold land to individuals and corporations, mostly lumbermen from the Middle States in sections of 10,000 acres and for as much as $10 an acre. Claiming that this disregard of the law will not only lead to a devastation of the country, but has defeated the very object of the settlement for which the grant was made, the Justice Department seeks to take the matter into court. The subject was debated until late yesterday afternoon.

SOCK SOCIAL

Guests of First Baptist Church of Mt. Pleasant Report a Pleasant Time.

Special to The Courier.

MT. PLEASANT, Pa., April 24.—The sock social given by the members of the First Reformed church in the Sunday school room of that denomination this evening was a decided success in every respect. All those in attendance report a very enjoyable time. The following vocal and instrumental program was nicely rendered by well known Mt. Pleasant people:

Instrumental quartet, Miss Andrews, Messrs. Zuck, King and Andrews; instrumental duet, Miss Lozier and Mrs. C. F. Goldsmith; recitation, Miss Ruth Hubbs; vocal solo, Miss Irene Bowers; recitation, Miss Hulda Rumbaugh; instrumental duet, Miss Lozier and Mrs. C. F. Goldsmith; instrumental quartet, Miss Andrews, Messrs. Zuck, King and Andrews.

Infant Dead.

Eugene Pritchard, infant son of J. F. and Jessie Pritchard, died yesterday at the family residence, No. 322 Cottage avenue, aged 3 months and 25 days. The body was shipped to Weston, W. Va., for interment this morning on B. & O. train No. 50.

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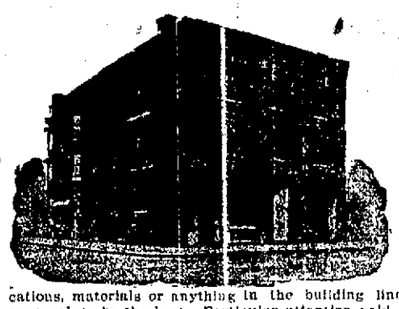

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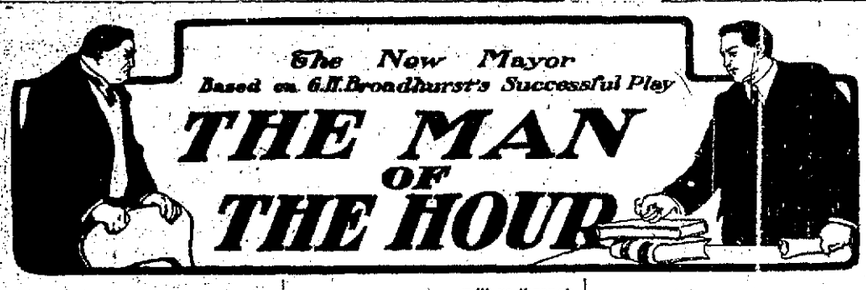

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CHAPTER XVI.

DALLAS, left alone in Horrigan's private room, sat at the big table, making no effort to follow her brother and Phelan. A messenger, searching for Horrigan, bustled in, looked inquiringly at the motionless, white faced girl, then passed on to the committee room beyond and on again in his search until the sound of his footsteps died. And still Dallas sat, inert, dumb.

Little by little she was piecing together the facts of the long, miserable complication in the light of what Perry had just told her. It was absurdly easy now that she held the key of the situation. She could understand everything—how Wainwright had put her fortune into Borough stock to influence Bennett; how, failing to move the latter, he had used Alwyn's knowledge of the fact as a weapon against the young man; how Bennett had sought to save her fortune and why he had forbidden Perry to bias her feelings by telling of the generous act.

"From first to last," she murmured in unhappy contrition, "he has acted honorably and as he thought I would have wanted him to and for my happiness. And I, like the wretched little fool I was, couldn't understand and publicly humiliated him. Oh, if only it weren't too late to"—

A vision of Gibbs flashed before her mind, and she shuddered, realizing all that her rash steps had entailed.

"It is too late," she confessed to herself, fighting back the hot tears that seared her eyes. "But at least I can tell him I know and beg his forgiveness and thank him."

The sound of voices in the corridor roused her from her bitter reverie. She sprang up hastily, unwilling that any should see her tear stained face, but the speakers, though they drew near, did not enter Horrigan's office. Instead, they stepped into the adjoining committee room. The messenger had left ajar the door between the two rooms. Realizing this and not wishing to be seen, Dallas shrank back toward the wall, fearful of detection. Then the voice of one of the speakers suddenly arrested her notice.

"Well," Bennett was saying in no especially civil tones, "you said you wished to speak to me in private. What have you to say? Be brief, for I am busy."

Finding herself the unwilling witness to what promised to be a confidential talk, Dallas stole toward the door leading to the corridor, but Horrigan, as was his custom, had locked it on going out. She dared not enter alone the crowded anteroom in her present state, so hesitatingly she paused, forced to remain where she was. The sound of another voice chained her to the spot, and, unconscious of envesdropping, she stood spellbound, hearing every word distinctly through the half open doorway.

"I—I hardly know how to begin," Gibbs was replying to Bennett's curt demand. "It is a delicate subject and"—

"Then the sooner it is treated to open air the better. Is"—

"You've won the Borough bill fight," began Gibbs.

"Is that all you have to say to me?"

"No. You've won, but you've lost far more. You've lost Dallas Wainwright."

"I hardly need to be reminded of that," retorted Bennett, "and it is a subject I don't care to discuss."

"But listen," pleaded Gibbs as the mayor made a move as though to leave the room. "One minute! I say you've won the Borough fight. I've won Dallas. Can't we"—

"Well, what?" asked Bennett, with ominous quiet as he paused in his departure.

"Can't we—strike some sort of bargain?" said Gibbs tentatively.

"Explain, please," ordered Bennett, with that same deceptive calm.

"Why," went on Gibbs, emboldened at the other's seeming complacence, "suppose you give up this Borough fight and I give up Dallas? I won her by a trick. She doesn't really love me. It is her pride, not her heart, that made her throw you over and accept me. It is you she loves, and I've known it all along, and you are in love with her."

"What then?"

"Just this," returned Gibbs, wondering at Bennett's quiet reception of the strange offer. "She will marry me because she isn't the sort of girl to go back on her promise, especially since she looks on me as a sort of high minded martyr to your oppression, so if I hold her to her word she will not back down. Now, if you, even now, withdraw your opposition the Borough bill

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will go through. Let it go through and I will break my engagement to Dallas Wainwright and leave her free to marry you."

"You promise that?"

"Yes!" cried Gibbs, elated. "I promise on my word of honor! Is it a bargain?"

"Gibbs," replied Alwyn slowly, "I didn't think there was so foul a cur as you in all the world. I thought I understood how utterly rotten you were, but I didn't believe there was a man living who could debase himself as you've just done."

"But"— began Gibbs, in bewilderment.

"Now you'll listen to me for a moment," cut in Bennett, silencing the interruption. "You say I'm in love with Miss Wainwright. It is true. I love her in a way a dog like you could never understand if he tried for a lifetime. I'd give my life for one word of love from her, but I'd sooner go forever without that word than win it by a dishonest deed that would prove me unworthy of her. I asked her love as a free gift and tried to deserve it. She refused, and I won't try to buy what she won't give me, especially since the price would make me as unworthy of her as you yourself are."

"But you take the wrong view of it. You see, if"—

"I see this much: I'll have to speak plainer to get my view of the case into your vile mind. If ever again you meet me, stand out of my way. Don't speak to me or come where I am, for

The eavesdropper.

if you cross my path again I'll treat you ten thousand times worse than when I thrashed you in that football game. That's all."

Bennett, restraining his wrath with a mighty effort, turned on his heel and strode off into the corridor, leaving Gibbs staring after him in dumb, impotent despair.

When the broker had recovered himself sufficiently to start from the room Dallas Wainwright stood before him, barring the exit. Her face was dead white, her big dark eyes ablaze.

"Wait!" she commanded. "I must speak to you—for the last time."

"Dallas!" gasped the desperate man, his drawn face turning positively yellow. "You were—you—you heard?"

"Mr. Bennett just now called you 'the foulest cur in all the world,'" said Dallas, her voice scarcely louder than a whisper, yet every syllable stinging as a whiplash. "He put it too mildly."

"But, sweetheart"—

"'Miss Wainwright,' please. I heard you offer to sell me to him in exchange for his conscience. If my own brother had told me such a thing I would not have believed him, but I myself heard it. And I heard his splendid answer."

"But, you know, I was joking! That it was just a trick to"—

"Just such a trick that made me promise to be your wife? Yes, but this time you had to do with a man—a man in a million—not with a poor, credulous little idiot like me. And he answered you as I should have answered you had my eyes been opened in time. I"—

"Dallas," groaned Gibbs, "for heaven's sake don't look at me like that! I can't bear it! I love you! And I"—

"And I in my criminal folly promised to marry you!" she stormed. "I let you kiss me. My lips are degraded forever by that touch of yours. I let you speak words of love to me. I broke a brave man's heart for your worthless sake. Oh, the shame—the horrible shame of it all! But I shall thank God on my bended knees that I have found out the truth before it was too late."

"Too late?" he echoed in horror, his voice rising almost to a scream. "Dallas, you're not going to throw me over? You aren't"—

"Now leave me, please. Your presence sickens me."

"Scott Gibbs," she answered quietly, a world of wondering scorn in her level tones, "you do not even know how vile a thing you are. Now leave me, please. Your presence sickens me."

He tried to speak, but something of the ineffable contempt in her steady eyes silenced him. Without a word he slunk out of the room and out of her life.

Phelan, agog with eagerness for the coming struggle in the aldermanic chamber, bustled past through the corridor. The alderman had many duties today, and as the performance of each brought him nearer to his longed for revenge on Horrigan he was positively beaming with righteous bliss. Dallas caught sight of him.

"Alderman!" she called faintly.

Phelan halted, still in haste to fulfill his mission.

"Could—could I see Mr. Bennett?" she asked, a new timidity transforming her rich voice. "Do you know where I can find him?"

"Is it important? He's pretty busy."

"Very important!" she pleaded. "I must see him at once."

"I'll look him up," agreed Phelan, "but I warn you he's too busy to see you just yet. S'pose you let me take you back to the meetin'? Our bill's comin' up in a few minutes now, an' you don't want to miss it. Then I'll scare up his honor for you as soon as he's got a spare minute an' bring you back here to him. Sorry to keep you waitin'," he went on as they started toward the council chamber, "but before this session's over all sorts of things is due to explode, an' we ain't hardly at the beginnin' of the excitement yet. We're goin' to make a Fourth of July celebration in a giant powder fact'ry look like a deaf mute fun'ral by the time we're done."

CHAPTER XVII.

"HE'S in there!" observed Phelan in high excitement, jerking his thumb toward a door leading off the committee room, "an' I've sent for Wainwright an' Horrigan to meet your honor here. An' I've fixed it so the Borough bill won't come up for ten minutes. Now, all that's left is to touch the punk to the fuse an' set off the whole giddy bunch of fireworks under 'em. Gee, but it's good to 'a stuck to this old world just for the sake of bein' here today an' seein' what I'm due to see!"

The alderman chuckled, but his joyous anticipation found no reflection in Bennett's white set face. The two were in the committee room, whither Phelan had repaired after depositing Dallas in a chair beside her brother at the meeting and attending to one or two details of greater import.

"Yes," went on Phelan, again nodding mysteriously toward the farther door, "he's in there, trained to the minute for the blowout. There's some one else wants to see you, too—some one who'll make more of a hit with you if I'm not overplayin' my hand. But good news can wait. There's so little of it in this measly life that it gen'rally has to. I"—

From the corridor Horrigan stamped into the committee room, Wainwright at his heels.

"Well!" cried the boss defiantly, glaring at Bennett and ignoring Phelan. "You sent for us. What do you want?"

"One moment!" intervened Wainwright. "We are beaten. We admit that without argument. So we need waste no time going over details."

"Have you sent for us to say what you'll sell out for?" queried Horrigan coarsely, "because if you have you've only to name your price. You've got us where you want us. We've got to pay."

"I should have thought," replied Bennett, with no shade of offense, "you would know by this time that I have no 'price.'"

"Then what do you want?"

"Nothing—from you."

"Why did you send word you wanted to see us?" growled Horrigan impatiently as he and Wainwright, uninvited, seated themselves at the table.

"To tell you," answered Alwyn, glancing from one to the other, "that every step you two have taken in this whole infamous transaction from the very first has been carefully followed, and, to use your own phrase, we've got you with the goods!"

"Same old bluff!" commented Horrigan contemptuously, with a reassuring wink at the somewhat less confident Wainwright.

"By tomorrow noon," resumed Bennett, "you will both be indicted on a charge of bribery. Even now there are detectives on the watch for you. Escape is impossible."

"Rot!" sneered Horrigan. "You've no evidence that will indict, and you know it. Even if you had, don't I control most of the judges and the district attorney's office besides? Swell chance you'll have of getting a conviction past that bunch! Bah! You talk like a man made of mud. I s'pose it's the affair of those Roberts notes you're counting on. That don't feaze me any. My lawyer can twist that around so it'll look like a charity gift. No, no, youngster. You'll have to think of something better if"—

"And, anyhow," put in Wainwright nervously, "you can't prove any connection on my part. There's nothing against me or"—

"I think there is," retorted Bennett, wheeling about on the financier. "And even if I can't nail the Roberts bribery to you I've plenty more comin to hold you on."

"All these generalities and vague accusations prove nothing, Bennett," answered Wainwright, drawing courage from Horrigan's colossal calm and speaking with more assurance. "Mr. Horrigan and I are not schoolboys to be scared by baseless threats. This is all guesswork on your part. Come, now, name one specific charge you can prove."

"One will be enough to convince you?" asked Alwyn. "Well, then, how about this as a first guess? Mr. Horrigan's bribe of $2,000,000 in money and 25,000 shares of Borough stock for agreeing to put through the Borough franchise? For 'guesswork' that doesn't seem to me very bad."

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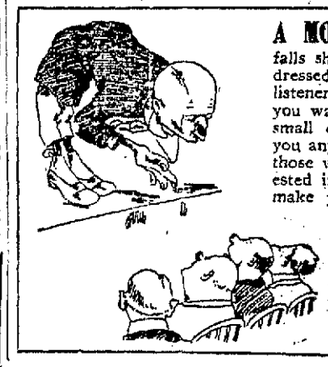

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They also appointed a committee of five members to draft a set of by laws for the governmont of the Camp.

The Secretary read a communication from the Chief of Ordnance, coming through Congressman Cooper, in reference to and how they could get arms from the United States government for purposes of drill. This letter stated that the government had no arms to lend, but that they could buy good Remington rifles that were now out of use for $2 each in lots of 20 or more.

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The committee on soliciting membership reported progress and, the committee was continued. The Camp will meet in its next regular session next Tuesday night.

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SANTA BARBARA, Cal., April 24. Another round of festivities for the officers and men of the American fleet will begin tomorrow afternoon when the 16 battleships of the American battleship squadron will cast anchor in the harbor of Santa Barbara for a five days' stay. The city is already filling with visitors and sightseers and never before have its streets and buildings been so profusely decorated. Triumphal arches have been erected at many street intersections, and immense signs that burn with the word "Welcome" are among the decorations.

The Civic League has completed elaborate preparations for the reception and entertainment of the naval men. A fund of thousands of dollars raised by popular subscription has been placed at the disposal of the league. Citizens of Ventura and San Luis Obispo counties joined with the business men of Santa Barbara in providing the money necessary to carry out the elaborate entertainment program. The crowning feature of the week will be the floral parade and battle of flowers on the boulevard as the procession is reviewed by the naval officers. The program for the five days follows:

Saturday, 4 P. M.—Arrival of the fleet, to be followed by official calls by the Mayor and the officers of the Civic League.

Sunday—Entire day devoted to visiting the ships.

Monday—Morning, base ball and foot ball tournament; afternoon, floral parade.

Tuesday—Morning, tennis and basket ball tournament; afternoon, garden party tendered to the officers of the fleet by Rear Admiral McCall, retired, of this city; evening, ball tendered to the officers of the fleet by Mr. and Mrs. William Miller Graham at a cost of $10,000.

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